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American Baptist Home Mission Society

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Form of a Bequest to the Society.

"I give and bequeath to the American Baptist Home Mission Society, formed in New York, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-two, the sum of.....dollars, for the general purposes of said Society."

For Church Edifice Fund, say:


"I give and devise to the American Baptist Home Mission Society.....dollars, for the Church Edifice Fund of said Society."

For Freedmen's Fund, say:

"I give and bequeath to the American Baptist Home Mission Society.....dollars, for the Freedmen's Fund of said Society."

Form of a Bequest of Real Estate.

"I also give, bequeath, and devise to the *American Baptist Home Mission Society*, one certain lot of land with the building thereon standing—[*Here describe the premises. Be particular*—to be held and possessed by the said Society, their successors and assigns, forever—[*If for Church Edifice Fund, or Freedmen's Fund, say so*—for the purposes specified in the Act of Incorporation."

 Please remember to use the word "Baptist," and to write "Mission" instead of "Missionary."

N. B.—Three witnesses should state that they signed the instrument as the last will and testament of....., in his or her presence, and in the presence of each other. Some States require only two witnesses. But three make it more sure.

THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL MEETING

OF THE

American Baptist Home Mission Society.

CHICAGO, MAY 20th and 22d, 1871.

THE American Baptist Home Mission Society met for its thirty-ninth Anniversary, in Farwell Hall, Chicago, May 20th, 1871, at 10 o'clock, A. M.

In the absence of Hon. Wm. Kelly, President of the Society, the chair was taken by Wm. Bucknell, Esq., of Philadelphia, Vice President.

The 19th Psalm was read, and prayer offered by Rev. R. H. Neale, D.D., of Boston.

In the absence of Rev. W. V. Garner, of Boston, the Recording Secretary of the Society, Rev. E. T. Hiscox, D.D., was chosen Secretary, *pro tem*.

The following Committees were then appointed.

Committee of Arrangements.—Revs. W. W. Everts, A. H. Hovey, J. B. Thomas, Jas. B. Simmons, A. P. Mason, and E. E. L. Taylor.

Committee on Enrollment.—I. N. Hobart, F. A. Smith, J. V. Schofield, J. B. Smith, J. Spencer Kennard, and S. B. Page.

Committee on Nominations.—Deacon E. A. Fuller, Deacon A. Wilbur, A. B. Capwell, E. D. Jones, and Revs. A. H. Strong, M. G. Hodge, and H. G. Weston.

Committee of Arrangements reported as follows:

We recommend that the hours of meeting be from 9 A. M. to 12 M., from 2½ P. M. to 5½ P. M., and at 7.45 P. M. Also,

1st. That so much of the Annual Report as relates to the Northern Department, be read at the beginning of the Morning Session, to be followed by addresses on that subject until the hour of adjournment.

2nd. That so much of the Annual Report as relates to the Southern Department, be read at the beginning of the Afternoon Session, to be followed by addresses on that subject until 4 o'clock.

3rd. That so much of the Annual Report as relates to the Church Edifice Department, be read immediately afterwards, and addresses delivered on that subject until 5½ o'clock, the hour of adjournment.

4th. That the Evening Session be divided into equal parts, to be devoted to addresses on the three separate departments of the Society's work.

Report adopted.

Rev. Jay S. Backus read so much of the Annual Report as relates to the Northern Department.

The Hymn, "Work, for the Night is Coming," was then sung. Rev. E. T. Hiscox not having arrived, W. Rufus Bucknell, of Philadelphia, was chosen Secretary *pro tem.* in his stead.

At the request of the Chairman, his place was taken by Hon. Wm. McPherson, of St. Louis, Mo., Second Vice-President of the Society.

The Society was then addressed by Rev. Mr. Seely and Rev. T. Powell, of Illinois; also, by Rev. J. S. Gubleman, of Philadelphia, on the German interest in the department; by Rev. Mr. Edgren, of Chicago, on the Swedish interest, and by Rev. R. H. Graves, formerly Missionary to China, in regard to the work among the Chinese in California.

By request, Brother L. B. Fish sung the hymn, "Hark! the Voice of Jesus Calling."

After the Benediction was pronounced by Rev. A. D. Gillette, D. D., of N. Y., the Society adjourned to meet at 2½ P. M.

AFTERNOON SESSION, 2½ P. M.

Hon. Wm. McPherson in the chair.

Opened by singing of hymn, entitled, "Even Me," and prayer, by Rev. Jacob Knapp, of Illinois.

Rev. Jas. B. Simmons read so much of the Annual Report as relates to the work of the Society in the South.

A few opening remarks were made by Rev. J. D. Fulton, D.D., in regard to the education of colored preachers at the South, followed by prayer.

Addresses were then delivered by Rev. C. C. Chaplin, of Owensborough, Kentucky, and Rev. J. L. Burrows, D. D., of Richmond, Va.

The hour of 4 o'clock having arrived, when the Church Edifice Department was to have been represented, it was proposed that the order of business be suspended, in order that other speakers might be heard in regard to the Southern Department, which proposition was sustained.

Rev. R. De Baptiste, of Chicago, next addressed the Society, followed by Rev. J. W. Smith, D. D., of Philadelphia, Rev. Dr. Tichenor, of Memphis, Tennessee, Rev. L. A. Grimes, of Mass., Rev. A. E. Dickinson, of Richmond, and Dr. S. S. Cutting, of N. Y.

The Report relating to the Southern Department of the Society's work was adopted.

Moved. That the election of officers for the ensuing year take place on Monday morning, 22nd inst., at 10 o'clock, and that the Committee on Nominations be instructed to report at that time with printed ballot. Carried.

After prayer by the Rev. A. E. Dickinson, D.D., the Society adjourned, to meet at 7.45 P. M.

EVENING SESSION, 7.45 P.M.

Hon. Wm. McPherson in the chair.

Meeting opened by singing hymn, "'Tis Religion that can give sweetest pleasures while we live;" followed by prayer, by Rev. D. W. Faunce, of New Hampshire, and the hymn, "Come let us bow before His feet, and venture near the Lord."

Rev. E. E. L. Taylor read so much of the Annual Report as relates to the Church Edifice Department.

Addresses were delivered by Rev. M. G. Hodge, D.D., of Wisconsin, Rev. Robert Atkinson, of Kansas, Rev. Lewis Raymond, of Colorado, and Rev. C. E. Hewitt, of Illinois.

Voted, That when the Society adjourns, it adjourn to meet on Monday, at 9 o'clock, A. M.

After a few remarks by the Chairman, stating that he would be obliged to return home before the Session on Monday, and that he desired not to be re-elected as Vice-President, the Society adjourned with Benediction.

MONDAY MORNING, May 22nd, 1871, 10 o'clock.

Wm. Bucknell, Esq., in the chair.

After singing of hymn, "The morning light is breaking," and prayer by Rev. L. A. Grimes, of Mass.,

By request of the Committee on Nominations, Rev. A. D. Gillette, D. D., was added to the Committee.

The motion to adopt the portion of the Annual Report relating to the Church Edifice Department was taken up, and addresses made by Rev. T. Powell, of Illinois, Rev. W. W. Everts, D. D., of Illinois, Rev. I. N. Hobart, of Illinois, and Rev. E. E. L. Taylor, of New York; after which, the Report was adopted.

During his address, Rev. I. N. Hobart presented a plan for raising a Church Edifice Fund of \$100,000, adopted by the Illinois Baptist General Association; after which, over \$3,000 was subscribed to the fund—time being allowed by the Society for that purpose.

By request of the Chairman, his place was taken by A. B. Capwell, Esq., of Brooklyn, N. Y.

The Society was addressed by Elder Knapp, who subscribed to the Society \$100 per annum, for ten years, to be applied to the Illinois Church Edifice Fund.

The Committee on Nominations reported, and the report was recommitted.

Voted, That a committee of three be appointed to confer with similar committees from the other societies, and to arrange for future anniversaries.

The Report relating to the Northern Department was adopted.

Voted, That the minutes be referred for correction and approval to the Board of the Society.

Adjourned to meet at 4.30 P. M., after prayer by Rev. A. P. Mason, D. D., of Mass.

AFTERNOON SESSION, Monday, May 22d, 1871.

Hon. A. B. Capwell in the chair. Meeting called to order at 4.30 P. M. Committee to arrange for future anniversaries appointed, as follows: A. B. Capwell, Esq., Rev. Jay S. Backus, and Rev. T. Armitage.

The Committee on Nominations reported, recommending the following as officers and managers for the coming year, and the same were duly elected:

For *President*—Hon. J. M. S. Williams, Boston, Mass.

For *Vice-Presidents*—Hon. Jas. R. Doolittle, Chicago, Ill.; Samuel A. Crozer, Esq., Philadelphia, Pa.

For *Treasurer*—Wm. A. Gellatly, Esq., Orange, N. J.

For *Auditors*—Wm. Phelps, Esq., New York; John F. Rathbone, Esq., Albany, N. Y.

For *Corresponding Secretaries*—Rev. Jay S. Backus, of Northern and Western Work; Rev. Jas. B. Simmons, of Education and Southern Work; Rev. E. E. L. Taylor, of Church Edifice Work.

For *Recording Secretary*—Rev. E. T. Hiscox, D. D., Brooklyn, N. Y.

For *Managers—Third Class—to 1874*—Rev. H. C. Fish, D. D., Newark, N. J.; Rev. T. D. Anderson, D. D., New York; Smith Sheldon, Esq., New York; Nathan Bishop, LL. D., New York; J. Q. Preble, Esq., New York.

The following resolutions were offered by Rev. A. D. Gillette, D. D., and adopted:

Resolved, That the sincere thanks of this Society be given to the people of Chicago, and the Committee of Arrangements, for their ample hospitality in providing for the delegates to the American Baptist Home Mission Society: also to all such railroads as have provided us with return tickets on their several lines of travel.

The following resolution, offered by A. B. Capwell, Esq., was adopted:

Resolved, That this Society hereby express their high estimate of the valuable and faithful services of Dea. Ebenezer Cauldwell, as Treasurer of the Society for over twenty years; and now, at the age of fourscore years, he retires from

that post of labor and responsibility with the warmest sympathies of this Society.

A communication from the Presbyterian General Assembly, now in session in this city, was received and replied to, as follows:

General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church in the United States of America, in session in the First Presbyterian church, Chicago, Monday, May 22, 1871. The following was adopted, and the Moderator and Clerk of the Assembly were directed to cause a copy, properly attested, to be forwarded to the convention of the Baptist churches now in session in this city:

Resolved, That, to the Baptist churches, now, by the annual meetings of their societies, assembled in Chicago, the Moderator and Stated Clerk of the Assembly are requested to express our fraternal greetings, our prayer for the blessing of the Spirit in their present meeting, our congratulations on their past success, and our hope for their future prosperity in accomplishing their part of the grand work in evangelizing the world.

Z. M. HUMPHREY, *Moderator*.

EDWIN T. HATFIELD, *Stated Clerk*.

The American Baptist Home Mission Society, and the American Baptist Missionary Union, now in session in the city of Chicago, present their Christian congratulations to their brethren of the General Assembly of the Presbyterian Church, and hereby cordially reciprocate the sentiments expressed in their communication of May 22, 1871.

We join most heartily in prayers for the blessing of the Spirit upon you in your meetings, and that you may be abundantly successful in your labors to promote the kingdom of our common Lord and Master, in this and other lands.

Signed by order and in behalf of the two societies.

M. B. ANDERSON,
Pres. Amer. Bap. Miss. Union.

GEO. W. BOSWORTH, *Secretary.*

JOHN M. S. WILLIAMS,
Pres. Amer. Bap. Home Mission Society.

EDWARD T. HISCOX, *Secretary.*
Chicago, May 23, 1871.

The newly elected President of the Society, Hon. J. M. S. Williams, of Cambridge, Mass., was introduced, and addressed the Society.

Committee on Enrollment was instructed to send their report to the Board.

Adjourned with prayer by Rev. L. A. Grimes, of Mass.

W. RUFUS BUCKNELL,

Secretary, pro tem.

THE THIRTY-NINTH ANNUAL REPORT

OF THE

EXECUTIVE BOARD

TO THE

American Baptist Home Mission Society.

BRETHREN OF THE SOCIETY:

We are happy to meet you again. We come with many thanksgivings to God. In his favor, the year past has been to us a very pleasant one, and for you a very prosperous one. The fields occupied, the missionaries employed, the appropriations made, and the receipts to the treasury, have been greatly in advance of any previous year.

A large number of able and excellent brethren, who in earlier years were the pillars and supporters of the Society, whose names will be found on our obituary page, have within the past year been called to their reward. But not an officer, or a missionary, and but one teacher of the Society, that we know of, has been taken from us.

The work of the Society is now divided into three departments—the Northern, the Southern, and the Church Edifice. The Northern Department embraces all north of Virginia, Kentucky, and Arkansas, including the Indian Territory and the Pacific Coast. The Southern Department embraces the States and Territories south of Pennsylvania, Ohio, Missouri, and Indian Territory, including the Republic of Mexico. The Church Edifice Department is distinct from each of the others, and includes the corres-

pondence and labor of obtaining and of appropriating all church edifice funds. These three departments are assigned each to a Secretary, who is expected to conduct the correspondence, and in every proper way to promote the interests of the Society in his own department. In the

NORTHERN DEPARTMENT

there were one hundred and fifty missionaries under appointment when the year commenced. There have been commissioned or re-commissioned in this department, during the year, two hundred and seventeen. These missionaries have labored and are laboring in twenty-eight different States and Territories. Twenty-three of these laborers are German Baptist ministers. Those within the bounds of the Eastern German Baptist Conference have been appointed on the recommendation of the Conference. In the German work we are greatly assisted by the efficient labors and wise counsels of the Rev. G. A. Schulte, whose whole time and strength are devoted to the spiritual good of his countrymen. Twelve of the missionaries in this department are Scandinavians—either Swedes, Danes, or Norwegians. They are devoted and successful men. Others have been preaching the Gospel in the French, Dutch, Chinese, and Indian languages. Of these are the Rev. N. Cyr, who, with becoming zeal and with good success, is preaching the Gospel to the French in New England—but chiefly in Vermont—and the Rev. R. B. DesRoches, who has done a good work for the French in Detroit, Mich.; also, a Chinese brother, who has labored with great success among the Chinese in California, and the Rev. J. B. Jones, who is our apostle among the Cherokees. Fifty-three, in all, have been assisted to preach the Gospel in other languages than our own.

In several of the States, the labors and results have been more abundant and satisfactory, because of the efficient coöperation of the State Boards and the pastors and brethren of the churches.

The greatness of the work of preaching the Gospel is coming to be more and more appreciated by the ministry and the membership. A larger number of efficient men have been found willing to enter new and distant States. Young men from Theo-

logical Seminaries are ready to decline positions in large churches with elegant houses and comfortable salaries, and to enter distant and destitute fields where the people are as sheep having neither shepherd nor fold. These are the men who are "counted worthy of double honor."

The name of each missionary, the length of time that he labored, the place where he labored, the number of sermons that he preached, the number of persons that he baptized, the churches organized, the meeting-houses erected, the Sabbath schools instructed, and the contributions made, will be found in the missionary tables.

A special interest has been awakened in behalf of the work among the Chinese.

This interest is shared by the brethren in San Francisco and on the Pacific coast, as will be seen by the following

Loud and Earnest Appeal from the Baptist State Convention of California.

To the Executive Board of the American Baptist Home Mission Society :

DEAR BRETHREN—Your fellow-laborers on this coast feel exceedingly anxious that *no time should be lost* in securing possession of the First Baptist house, in San Francisco. In no other way can we so well do a permanent work among the Chinese. Before us, now, is certainly an "open door."

Our Board have just been memorialized by the "Ministers' meeting of San Francisco and vicinity," in reference to this subject, as follows :

To the Baptist State Convention of California :

BELoved BRETHREN—Within a few steps of the First Baptist church in San Francisco, brother Ah Fung preaches every Sunday to congregations in the streets, numbering from five hundred to fifteen hundred. In the lecture-room of the church there is a school held every Sunday evening, at six o'clock, taught by Christian volunteers, and attended by from one hundred to one hundred and fifty Chinese. They learn our language, read the Bible, sing our hymns, and hear the Gospel of Jesus. If the house were arranged for the work, and consecrated to use as a mission for the Chinese, we believe that many hundreds would crowd within its walls every Sunday, and many inquirers daily. Several have already embraced Jesus. Some have been baptized. Others are calling upon the missionary, at his rooms, kneeling with him in prayer, and earnestly desiring to know the whole truth about Jesus. There is not a spot in San Francisco more desirable than this for a mission.

It is the unanimous conviction of the Baptist pastors and ministers in this city and vicinity that measures should at once be adopted to secure this property for this great work. We earnestly exhort you to present the subject to the Board of the Home Mission Society at New York, in such a shape as

will secure the house at once. If this church were now secured, nearly a thousand heathen could be gathered within its walls every Sunday. With the profoundest conviction that this thing is from God, and that delay will be sin, we urge brethren to act at once, with a determination to do a great work for Jesus, on behalf of the millions of the Chinese who are represented by so many thousands in our midst.

Upon receipt of the above memorial, our Board carefully considered the question in all its bearings, and reached, with unanimity, the following conclusions, viz.:

1. The subject is altogether too important, and the case too critical to allow of any delay in making a vigorous effort to secure the object, if possible.

2. The history of our churches and the condition of our denomination in California are such as do not justify us in expecting any *large* pecuniary aid at present.

3. We believe, however, that a special agent canvassing,

First. Our local field, for pledges conditional upon the consummation of the purchase by the Home Society; and,

Secondly. Continuing the canvass among the churches in the East, with the consent and coöperation of the *Home Board*, would speedily secure the necessary amount.

The mission work is now so far inaugurated that brother "Fung" can successfully carry it forward by continuing the present appointments—no new fields being contemplated during the winter—or until brother Graves arrives, when, doubtless, a Chinese church will be organized, and the work elsewhere extended. Chinese converts are already multiplying, inquirers are increasing, and some are coming from Pedobaptist folds, asking to be taught the way of God more perfectly. In view of these considerations, we request the Home Board to coöperate with us in immediate efforts to establish the proposed mission.

JAMES P. LUDLOW, *Chairman.*

On receipt of this call from the pastors and brethren of San Francisco and the Board of their State Convention, your Executive Board voted to provide \$20,000 for the establishment of such mission, so soon as the balance necessary should be provided for by the brethren on the Pacific coast, and they commend the importance of it to the consideration of the Society.

As the next will be the

Fortieth Anniversary of the Society,

your Executive Board recommend that they then leave the wilderness, and henceforth make all contributions correspond to those of Israel in the land of Canaan, where each person, family,

and tribe gave to the Lord a full one-third of his annual income, and did it cheerfully and promptly. To further this object, your Board recommend that every member and friend of the Society begin at once and do to his utmost for Home Missions during this fortieth year. This will enable them to give support to a much larger number of missionaries, and at the end of the year to report the receipts for the year as having amounted to more than a quarter of a million of dollars.

Your Board propose at the next Anniversary to report the number of missionaries employed, the number of sermons preached, the number of persons baptized, the number of churches organized, the appropriations made, and the contributions received from each of the several States and Territories during the four decades, or the forty years of the Society's existence and labors. Such a report, should it be faithfully made, will show the growth of Baptists in the several States and Territories to have been very great, and largely under the fostering care of the Society.

In anticipation of this, your Board have thought it well at this time to give

A HISTORY OF THE WORK IN THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

The wonderful growth of the Baptist cause in this State will perhaps be more manifest if we show what has been the number of missionaries employed, and the general results of their labor for each decade since 1832:

FIRST DECADE.

The first missionaries of the American Baptist Home Mission Society in Illinois were the Rev. Gardner Bartlett, appointed July 4, 1832, to labor in Winchester; the Rev. Wm. Kinnes, appointed Aug. 21, to labor in Morgan Co.; the Revs. Wm. Spencer and John Logan, appointed Oct. 5th; the Revs. Jacob Bower, Elijah Dodson, and Alvin Bailey, appointed Nov. 19th; and the Revs. John M. Peck and Moses Lemen, appointed Dec. 11th. These nine brethren rendered service, and received support in 1832. In 1833 fourteen missionaries were under appointment: in 1834, fifteen; in 1835, twenty-two; in 1836, twenty-four; in

1837, twenty-three; in 1838, twenty-three; in 1839, eighteen; in 1840, nineteen; in 1841, twenty-four—making a total of one hundred and ninety-one missionaries appointed during the first decade to labor in the State of Illinois. To their support the Society appropriated \$18,142.10. The receipts from the State of Illinois to our treasury during the first ten years of the Society's existence were only \$325.

SECOND DECADE.

In 1842 eleven missionaries were appointed by the American Baptist Home Mission Society to labor in Illinois: in 1843, thirteen; in 1844, thirteen; in 1845, nineteen; in 1846, twenty-three; in 1847, thirty-two; in 1848, thirty; in 1849, twenty-four; in 1850, twenty-eight; in 1851, thirty-four. The whole number of missionaries appointed by this Society in the State of Illinois during this decade was two hundred and twenty-seven. The reports of these missionaries show that they baptized in this time two thousand two hundred and twenty-four believers. The contributions to the treasury of the Society from the State of Illinois during these years amounted to \$6,412.75, and the appropriations from the Society for missionary labor in the State for the same time were \$33,447.63, being \$27,034.88 more than the receipts from the State.

THIRD DECADE.

In 1852 thirty-four missionaries were appointed by the American Baptist Home Mission Society to labor in Illinois; in 1853, thirty-five; in 1854, thirty; in 1855, seventeen; in 1856, eight; in 1857, six; in 1858, three; in 1859, three; in 1860, four; in 1861, one. The whole number of missionaries appointed by the Society in the State of Illinois during this decade was one hundred and forty-one. By these missionaries nine hundred and forty-one were baptized. The appropriations from the Society for their support amounted to \$16,070. The contributions from the State of Illinois to the treasury of the Society for this decade were \$9,756.79, or \$6,312.21 less than the amount appropriated by the Society.

FOURTH DECADE.

During the nine years of the present decade, one hundred and seventy-five missionaries have labored in Illinois under the direction of your Board. They have baptized eleven hundred and two believers into the fellowship of the churches. The contributions from the State to the treasury of the Society for these nine years have amounted to \$26,472.48. The appropriations of the Society for missionary labor in the State during this time have been \$42,175, which is \$15,702.52 more than the receipts from the State.

It will be seen from the foregoing, that, since the organization of the Society in 1832, seven hundred and thirty-three missionaries have been commissioned by the Society to labor in the State of Illinois, and that the Society has appropriated \$110,534.79 for their support. The receipts from the State of Illinois to our treasury during these thirty-nine years have been \$42,968.02, or \$67,566.77 less than the amount appropriated by the Society.

The Society has given support to missionaries in Illinois from the time when Baptists were "like angels' visits, few and far between," and in the city of Chicago, where the Society commenced its work at a time when Baptist churches were unknown, and when the worship of Christians was confined to "an occasional prayer-meeting in the house of a brother Noble."

To show what was the condition of the people and especially of the Baptist denomination during the earlier years of the Society's work in the State and in this city, we give a few extracts from letters received from missionaries then on the field.

Under date of June 11th, 1833, the Rev. J. Bower wrote, saying :

"I have labored incessantly to have the people throw away their prejudices against missions and do something for the Lord, but without much success. Three churches have united in an association with a constitution, of which the following is one article: 'Each church and each member shall be left free to act according to their views on the subject of Missions, Bible Societies, Temperance measures, &c.; and the supporting or not supporting of either of these shall be no bar to fellowship.'

"Since my last report I have preached sixty-nine sermons, and baptized twenty-two persons; but the cause of missions is not flattering. Some there are who love in *word* and *tongue*, but not in *deed* and in *truth*. They say, 'We

love to hear you preach. Come as often as you can.' But when we say to them, 'The laborer is worthy of his hire,' they resent it and cry out 'beggars,' 'missionary beggars,' 'money-hunters,' and 'deserters.' And so we are left to wear out clothes, horse, saddle, body, lungs, voice, and give up the last cent we have and get no help from those who say they love the Gospel, love to have us come and preach it to them, to their families and neighbors, but who will not do aught to help us. These things are very discouraging, but I remember that brother Clark, when dying, said, 'Don't give up the ship,' and so I go on hoping against hope."

After two years of faithful labor, this brother wrote again, saying:

"The good cause is gaining ground. Opposers are not so violent and saucy as they were two years ago. It will be a great work to get professors properly into their duty. I have sat down and wept with a mixture of sorrow and joy when thinking over the distracting situation of Zion in Illinois."

The Rev. William Kinnes, who commenced his labors in 1832, in a letter dated June 10th, 1833, said:

"The Baptists belonging to Crooked Creek Association will not suffer me to preach in their houses. One of them invited me to do so, but when he found I was favorable to Sabbath Schools, he said his church would deal with him if he suffered a man of that character to preach in his house."

After years of faithful labor in Taswell, Schuyler, Sangamon, and other counties, he closed a report, saying:

"The Mission cause, though yet in its infancy, is on the advance."

As late as April 25th, 1834, the Rev. A. B. Freeman, then a missionary of the Society in Chicago, said:

"There is no Baptist minister within a compass of 150 miles of me. I do not confine my labors to Chicago. Since my last communication I have traveled into most of the settlements west and southwest of Chicago within fifty miles. I have met prejudices and false doctrines, but the people of this country are generally hungry for the bread of life. I have preached fifty-six times. Persons often come eight and twelve, and occasionally sixteen miles to hear a single discourse."

Your Executive Board, in their report for 1835, say:

"Illinois seems destined to be in some respects the most important of the Western States. Here the denomination was three years ago in a most deplorable condition; for, besides being small and feeble, it was divided into parties. Nowhere, however, have our missionary efforts been more successful.

The churches have greatly increased in numbers, and are more harmonious in doctrine, and more active in duty."

The disposition of the brethren in Illinois at that early day to coöperate with our Society may be seen from the following extract from the report for 1838:

"An event from which we anticipate much good, is a union that has been effected between this Society and the Illinois Convention—that body inviting this Society to employ an agent among them, and they pledging themselves to raise enough to pay one-third of all our missionary expenditures in that State. Bro. J. M. Peck is the agent."

Rev. C. E. Brown, of Quincy, Ill., writing under date of February 1, 1844, says:

"Our church now consists of one hundred and ten members, the most of whom are active Christians, but only ten of them were connected with the church when I first came to the place.

"You will be pleased to hear that our meeting-house is completed. But for the aid afforded us by the Home Mission Society, I do not see how the church could have got along and kept their meeting-house, much less to have brought it to completion under the favorable circumstances in which we now possess it."

Another missionary, writing in 1847, says:

"My station is in the centre of Illinois. I am the only ordained regular Baptist minister who is preaching in one place as often as once in three weeks. The nearest Baptist ministers to me are thirty-five miles east, thirty-five miles west, fifty north, and over fifty south. Thus you see I am in the centre of a district seventy miles wide, and over one hundred miles long—a district about as large as the State of Connecticut—in which no other regular Baptist minister is preaching as often as once in three weeks. Within this are about twenty little Baptist churches destitute of pastors, and most of them of any stated preaching. Some of them have had no ordained minister to administer the Lord's Supper to them for two or three years. Some of them have a sermon once a month. Some once in two or three months, and some do not have a Baptist minister to preach to them once a year."

These extracts from early records show the state of society and the condition of Baptists in those days. To see what has been done since, and who and where the Baptists of Illinois are now, LOOK AROUND YOU.

JAY S. BACKUS,

COR. SECRETARY.

THE SOUTH HALF OF THE CONTINENT.

In the south half of the country, over one hundred missionary laborers have been employed during the year, and by the help of the Lord they have wrought successfully.

The Republic of Mexico

is a new and inviting field for Baptists. Within its borders there are eight millions of Spanish-speaking Roman Catholics ready for the heavenly message. Rev. Thomas M. Westrup, our general missionary for that field, says:

"The calls of this land for the Gospel are bewildering. I ought to be in dozens of places in which there are believers. They send for me from all parts to preach the Gospel. I have just received a letter from twenty-five leagues south of Mexico city, anxiously inquiring when I intend to pay them a visit. I doubt not there are one hundred thousand believers in this republic, nine-tenths of whom are acquainted only with the merest rudiments of Christian theology. A thousand missionaries could be at once placed here, in Mexico, where they could do immense good."

But, instead of one thousand, we have sustained only three, viz., Bro. Westrup and two native Mexican converts, both of whom have been ordained. Nevertheless, several regular Baptist churches have been constituted. The members of these churches, as well as their preachers, are all converts from the Catholic faith. Who shall say that the Gospel has lost its ancient power, or that the religion of Baptists achieves no victories in Roman Catholic countries? Our missionaries in Mexico declare that they find the New Testament to be the most radical and powerful of all Baptist books.

Our Work in the Southern States.

It is one of the crowning excellencies of this Society that the spirit of Christ so far controls its management that it works with an even and vigorous hand for the good of all classes and races of the human family. Its missionaries preach the Gospel in eleven different languages, and to more than eleven different nationalities. Wherever antagonisms exist, these missionaries are peace-makers. Wherever man hates his fellow, or race is hostile to race, they remind the people that God is the just and loving Father of us

all, and that his searching eye is upon us. They preach to men that Jesus died for all alike, that all the race are brethren, and that the finally redeemed are to be gathered from the earth out of every nation, kindred, and tribe under heaven.

In the South, where there has been an ecclesiastical drifting apart of the Caucasian and colored races since the war, our missionaries have in the main exhibited great prudence, and their influence has been wholesome and healing. Your Board have aimed particularly to select wise and faithful men for this field. There are Christians of the white race in the South who are the true and abiding friends of the black man. There are Christians of the colored race who have never ceased to love and respect their white brethren in the Lord. This mutual Christian friendship your Board everywhere encourages. Owing, at least in part, to the disadvantages of the past, the black man is the weaker party. He needs all the light and help that Christians both South and North can give him. Any policy, on his part or on ours, that does not welcome and cherish in his behalf the friendship of his richer and stronger neighbors, is not wise. Baptists North and Baptists South, white and colored, may not be able as yet to work in official co-operation or organic union, but they certainly can work in a spirit of fraternal good will.

This Society is the friend of both races. It aims to work wholly for Christ, which is to work impartially for all. *North America for Christ* is its motto, and the salvation of every human being is its aim. Men who will carry out these views are the men whom our churches love to sustain as missionaries,—be they Northern or Southern, be they of the one race or of the other.

Our relations to the Consolidated Convention and to other Baptist societies have been very pleasant during the year.

Freedmen's Educational Work.

Two thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight persons have been instructed by our missionary teachers in week-day schools and classes. No nobler work has been undertaken by American Baptists, during the present century, than that of planting freedmen schools in the South. To this work Southern men of the

choicest Christian spirit cordially welcome us. A Southern Baptist says:

"The Home Mission Board in New York has a great field among the freedmen, and can do its work there as none else can do it. In the efforts which the Society is making for theological training-schools among them, we wish it abundant success."

This we believe to be the sentiment of all wise and good men throughout the South.

Growth of the Freedman's Fund.

For the year ending March 31st, 1869, we received . . \$5,000.

For the year ending March 31st, 1870, we received over 37,000.

For the year ending March 31st, 1871, we received over 55,000.

Besides this, large amounts have been contributed which did not pass through the Home Mission treasury. For example, Holbrook Chamberlain, Esq., has made personal contributions toward the Common Street and Leland University enterprises at New Orleans, amounting to between \$15,000 and \$20,000. Without this strong and independent worker, who, with his devoted wife, has stood valiantly by our side, far less must have been accomplished for the Baptist cause in the great metropolis of the South. We thank God for such benefactors.

While hundreds have given with a noble generosity, we have only space to mention the names of those individuals or churches who have contributed \$1,000 or more to the Freedman's fund during the year:

Elijah Shaw, Esq., Mass.....	\$7,000
Dr. and Mrs. Nathan Bishop, New York City.....	5,000
First Church, Burlington, Vt....	2,000
Madison Avenue Church, New York City.....	1,640
E. C. C., of Massachusetts.....	1,150
An Unknown Friend.....	1,000
Mrs. Abigail K. Simons.....	1,000
Dea. Josiah Coolidge.....	1,000
Mrs. B. A. Benedict.....	1,000
Mrs. Joanna Latham.....	1,000

How these Funds are Used.

The Freedmen's Educational funds have been expended in

school grounds, school buildings, school furniture, and in the support of teachers and of colored students for the ministry.

Quality of the Teachers.

Miss Mary A. Howe, a devoted instructor of freedmen preachers in our Wayland Seminary, who died March 31st, 1871, wrote to a friend, a little time previous to her death, as follows:

"I shall return here *next year*—and *next year*—and *next year*—indeed, I am decided that this work shall have me as long as I can be of service!"

It is teachers thus consecrated that the Society aims always to employ. Hence, churches and individuals have great encouragement to help in this noble work, which blesses not only the South, but has in its contemplation the redemption of Africa also.

Quality of the Students.

Our teachers constantly aim to bestow time and assistance only upon the ablest and truest of the colored men. Everywhere they select the best. It is not intended that a dollar of the money entrusted to us shall be wasted upon the unworthy. As noble a class of young colored men as walk the earth are seeking to be taught and fitted for leaders of their people. One of our teachers writes:

"Greater self-denials, more patient toil, than these colored students exhibit, I could never expect to see. One of them said to me: 'I *must* know these things which you teach, if I would work for Jesus.'"

Another student of the same school, who has a family, and has struggled hard, in order to go on in his studies, wrote to the Rooms as follows:

"I am willing to suffer yet *more* that I may get an education."

A teacher, who is laboring with skill and energy, writes thus:

"This week we have been cheered by a visit from a former student, who was ordained a year ago. He told us of glorious scenes on his field. In nine months he has baptized one hundred and ninety. As he thanked me for what we had endeavored to do for him, he said: 'Never—never can I forget your instruction; and, as you have done for me, so I shall try to do for others.'"

Our habit is to train these men in school during the winter

season, and send them out as Home Missionaries during the summer vacation. Here is a report from one of them. He says:

"During my summer vacation I traveled nine hundred miles, delivered one hundred and twenty addresses, held twenty-three prayer-meetings, distributed six thousand pages of tracts, and visited a great number of poor people. I found about two hundred families without Bibles, and with no money to buy them. This shows that there is a great work to be done in Virginia. There are some that say they cannot find it to do. It seems to me that if I had a thousand hands I could find work for them all, though it takes hard work to accomplish good. I am thankful to say that the Lord has crowned my labors with one hundred and fifty conversions during the summer vacation."

Our Freedmen's School Properties—Their Location and Estimated Value

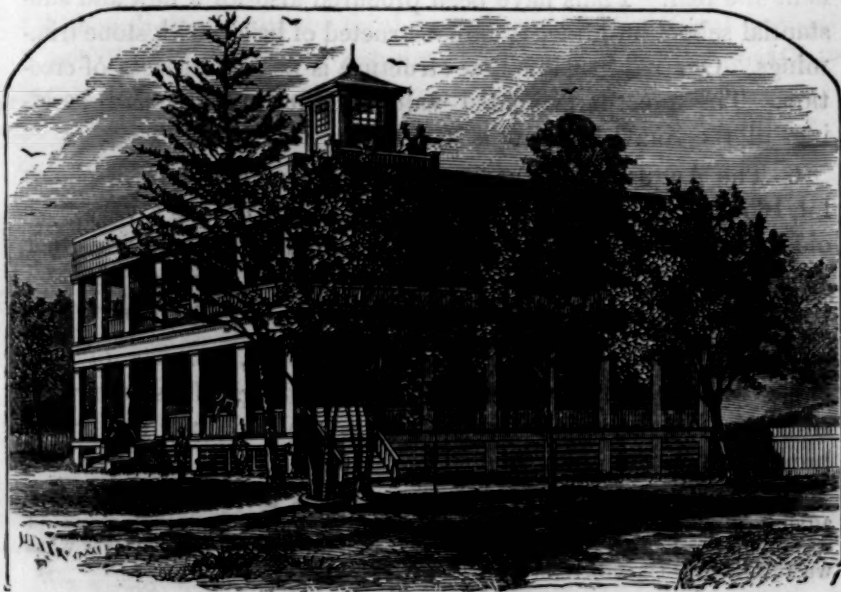


THE COLVER INSTITUTE.

1. Colver Institute, at Richmond, Va., consists of a valuable property on the corner of 19th and Main streets. It was at one time the fashionable hotel of the city, and is said to have cost originally one hundred and ten thousand dollars. It was built about fifty years ago; and, though made over to us in a con-

dition badly needing repairs, and depreciated in value in consequence of the late war, good judges pronounce it worth, at least, \$30,000.

2. Wayland Seminary (and National Theological Institute and University) at Washington, D. C., consists of a plain two-story frame building, situated in an excellent locality on "I" street, near 19th. Both the lot and the building are too small. The school is very prosperous, and over-crowded. Larger grounds and an adequate building are imperatively demanded. Estimated value of the present property, \$5,000.



THE BENEDICT INSTITUTE.

3. Benedict Institute, Columbia, S. C., consists of eighty acres of land, spacious frame residence, two stories, 65x65 feet, with wide verandah, situated in a beautiful park of eighty acres, filled with well-grown trees, nice garden, some eight or ten out-buildings, unfailing well, and brick arched and encased spring. This property, like most of the others, is worth far more than it cost; but we place its estimated value at what was paid, viz.: \$16,000.

4. The Nashville Institute, Nashville, Tenn., is built upon grounds 150x2,300 feet. The building is a very plain frame, 40x117 feet, and two stories high above the basement. Estimated value, \$10,000.

5. Shaw Collegiate Institute, Raleigh, N. C., consists of eleven acres of ground on South street, adjacent to the Governor's mansion. Upon these premises is a good two-story frame dwelling, with wings. Not only the house, but the out-buildings and fences are in excellent repair. Shade trees, pedestals, castings, and statuary, ornament the front grounds, and a valuable garden is in the rear. Plans have been procured also for a new and substantial school-building, to be constructed of brick, with stone trimmings. One wing of this new structure is now in process of erection. The present estimated value of the grounds and buildings of the Shaw Institute is \$16,000.

6. The Augusta Institute, at Augusta, Ga., embraces a choice lot, 165x175 feet, fronting on Telfair street. There is a very poor old house upon the grounds, which must be displaced for another as soon as possible. The lot is in a choice part of the city. Good judges pronounce this property to be worth \$8,000.

7. The Leland University, at New Orleans, consists of four choice squares of ground, with a plain dwelling. It is admirably situated, and materials for a fine school-building are being brought upon the premises. Our teacher writes:

"It is decided that the State House and park are to be on the block adjoining and nearly opposite to our property, and, as the result, we could dispose of the Leland University grounds at an advance of \$20,000 over what we and brother Chamberlain paid."

Present valuation, \$45,000.

Thus, these seven schools have grounds and buildings paid for and valued at an aggregate of *one hundred and thirty thousand dollars*. A part of them are held by trustees, and a part by the Society direct. With the exception of about fifteen thousand dollars' worth, this property was all secured and made sure to the Baptists during the year 1870. "What hath God wrought!" *

* Wills should be made in favor of these schools. See Form of Bequest on p. 4.—J. B. S.

Your Board beg leave to repeat, with emphasis, the conviction uttered a year ago, that benevolence, not to the colored race alone, but to the white race of this land, requires at our hands the most patient, vigorous, and liberal prosecution of these freedmen school enterprises.

JAMES B. SIMMONS,

COR. SECRETARY.

CHURCH EDIFICE DEPARTMENT.

Although this is but the third annual report of the Board on the Church Edifice Fund as a distinct department of the Home Mission work, it is with not a little satisfaction that we can assure the Society that no part of its operations has in so short a time, we believe, taken a deeper hold of the hearts of the more intelligent membership, or yielded more abundant or satisfactory returns. This is owing in no small degree to the fact that the practical character of the enterprise especially commends itself to the approbation of our far-seeing men of business.

The capital employed in this department of the Society's operations is not sunken, or in any sense lost, but, while it is doing the Society's work, it is all safely invested at seven per cent. interest. The interest is thus constantly increasing the capital, and by so much, increasing its power for good. Several thousand dollars has been added to the Fund from this source during the past year.

We would not intimate that money judiciously expended in any department of Missionary labor is ever lost, though the results may not be immediately discernible; but the good accomplished by moneys contributed to the Church Edifice Fund is so manifestly apparent as to command the attention of the most careless observer. The Board can point to at least more than one neat and commodious church edifice in some new and growing town or city South and West, erected every year through the direct agency of each thousand dollar subscription to this fund. The original amount of the subscription, through the accruing

interest, doubles itself every ten or twelve years. A single subscription, therefore, of only this limited amount—and we have received ten and twenty-five times this sum from single individuals—will, within half a century, secure the erection of not less than one hundred and fifty church edifices. This is even too low an estimate of the wonderful efficacy of this constantly accumulating fund.

In the management of this fund the Board have found it necessary to act, in accordance with its pledges to subscribers, upon the strictest business principles.

The churches to whom loans are made must be regularly and legally organized. A most careful search of titles is made, and the best possible security required. The property must be free from all other encumbrance, well insured in approved companies, and the policies, to the full extent of our interest in the property, assigned to the Society. The money is not paid over until the papers have all passed under the careful examination of the Attorney of the Board, and received his written approval.

Interest is required to be paid promptly, semi-annually, and foreclosure will speedily follow whenever there is a disposition evinced by a church to evade a prompt discharge of its obligations. So great importance does the Board attach to the observance of strict business principles in this department of their work, that they would regard the consequences of the loss of a few church edifices as less disastrous than that the impression should obtain that they are lax in the enforcement of its rules and obligations.

The following resolution has been passed by the Board to govern its action in this particular:

“Resolved, That in every case where any interest on money loaned to churches shall remain unpaid after the same shall have become due, the Secretary of the Church Edifice Department is instructed, whenever the Committee on said fund shall request him so to do, to report such case to the Attorney of the Board, and said Attorney is hereby instructed to notify every such church, that unless said interest shall be paid within sixty days, that a foreclosure suit will be commenced.”

And the Board are pleased to add, that, in the only two in-

stances during the past year, where they were obliged thus to resort to any such stringent action, the happiest results followed: the churches aroused themselves to effort, and not only met their matured obligations to the Society, but provided for all their other pecuniary encumbrances, which had been allowed to accumulate and embarrass their progress.

Again: Investments are made at those points where there is the best prospect of immediate returns.

Were not the present pressure upon this fund so great, profitable investments might be made at points of great prospective importance. Many such are continually presenting themselves. But your Board have been constrained, under present embarrassments arising from the portion only of the subscriptions as yet paid in, to select those points only which seemed most emergent. They have no money for *permanent* investments. They expect their loans to accomplish their mission and to be returned within three years, and as much sooner as possible. The capital is thus kept actively at work. And should they find that, by some unforeseen circumstances, a loan had been made to an unproductive field, if for no other reason, the urgent necessities of other fields would compel them to recall it.

It has been a fixed principle with your Board to help those churches only who are disposed to help themselves still more largely. Nor has it been deemed wise in any case, and thus far has never been found necessary, to make grants equal to one-half of the appraised value of the church property—the limit fixed by the Plan and By-Laws of the Church Edifice Fund.

In three instances within the last month of the year's operations, one-half of what seemed to the applicants indispensably necessary to their enterprise, was conditionally granted by the Board, which served in each case to inspire such energy and hope as to enable them to raise among themselves the needed balance.

Again: Through the provisions of this Fund the churches are assisted in a way peculiarly adapted to the character and habits, as well as necessities of the people of this country, especially of the great West. It is not proposed, with this Fund, either to

build meeting-houses or to pay church debts; but rather to help churches build their own houses of worship, and to pay their own debts. It simply enables the churches to help themselves, and, in this, especially harmonizes with the spirit of Western American life and character. The West does not ask us to *give* it money; it only wants the *use* of it, and is willing to pay roundly for such use. Again and again are we offered 10 and 12 per cent. semi-annual interest on desired loans, though our uniform rate of interest is only 7 per cent. To assist a church in the East, you must generally *give* it money. To assist a church in the West, it is only necessary to *lend* it. The spirit of American pioneer life is eminently that of SELF-HELP. On this account a loan in the West is really, in most cases, equal to a gift in the East. There perhaps never lived a people with more manly independence, energy, and enterprise, than those of the West. Only let them be Christianized, and they will become the mightiest people for good the world has ever witnessed. The little paltry donations, or rather *loans*, which we now send them, will be sent back and abroad, principal and interest, in substantial donations, increased a hundred-fold.

The assistance afforded by the Church Edifice Fund is given too at that particular point of missionary effort at which, of all others, aid is especially needed. Nor is it too much to say, that in many instances a given amount of money will accomplish more, applied at just this point, in the establishment of self-supporting churches in the grand centres of commercial influence in our new States and territories than twice the amount expended in any other direction.

There is a point in the history of every church, but especially of churches in new settlements, not unlike the point known in mechanics as the "*dead centre*." This point, in rotary motion, is the one most difficult to pass, particularly at the starting of machinery before a certain degree of momentum is attained, and some ingenious device must be used to carry the movement beyond this point. The meeting-house question has uniformly been the great point of difficulty with our young pioneer churches. To pass this has been the most vexed of all questions.

This, for example, was for years "the dead centre" at the city of Leavenworth—impossible to be passed; and, if one-half the money spent on that field, as it eventually proved, had been invested at the outset in a temporary loan, to enable the Leavenworth Church to erect a suitable house of worship, a self-supporting church would have been secured in one-half the time, and at less than half the cost to the Home Mission Society; and there are very many cities and towns of which the same may be said. American Baptists cannot afford longer, in their missionary operations, such wasteful economy of their scanty means.

Nor is the *measure* of assistance afforded to any particular church adequately set forth by the mere *money* loaned. The value of money in the new settlements West is so great, that the interest generally paid seems to us in the East extortionate, ranging from 12 to 36 per cent., while it is seldom that a *church* can effect a loan on even these terms. One Western church, to whom relief was afforded from the Church Edifice Fund, paid 33 per cent. for a sum sufficient to seat their place of worship. Nor is this all. In these new settlements \$500, in cash, will go further toward the erection of a church adapted to the necessities of the people than \$5,000 would go in New York, Philadelphia, or any Eastern city; and it not unfrequently occurs that the whole question of the erection of a meeting-house is settled by the loan of the small sum of \$250, sufficient merely to procure the nails and glass, the people cheerfully furnishing the lumber, the labor, and the land, upon which to build the house.

The moral support given to these new church enterprises by such timely loans becomes simply incalculable, infinitely exceeding the mere sum of dollars and cents with which we are enabled to provide them. It seems scarcely credible to those who have not been on the ground and witnessed it for themselves, that there are to-day, on the lines of our great Pacific railroads and their branches, scores of rising towns and cities in which a loan of \$500, and, in some cases, less, will secure the immediate erection of a suitable meeting-house, and the speedy establishment of a self-supporting Baptist church. The long experience of the Home Mission Boards of all the evangelical denominations of our land

has sufficiently established the fact that a house of worship is an indispensable prerequisite to a prosperous, self-supporting church. In the earnest language of one of our missionaries, "As well attempt to establish a hotel in an omnibus, as a permanent, prosperous church without its own house of worship. Churches are, practically, in our cities and towns, little more than 'airy nothings,' until, by the erection of a house of worship, they gain 'a local habitation and a name.'"

A *place* and a *day* for the public worship of God are alike indispensable necessities to the visible church of Christ.

Archimedes, in his enthusiasm over the newly-applied powers of the lever, exclaimed: "Give me a place where I may *stand*, and I will move the world." With the Gospel as the divinely appointed lever, the Ministry and the Church, in the execution of their great commission, must have a *place* on which to stand—a house in which to meet and rally the people. With this, under God, they have moved and will continue to move communities and the world—raising them Godward and saving them. The great work of this Church Edifice Department is to enable our churches to obtain these "*standing-places*" in every community where needed.

It is with no ordinary satisfaction that we are able to report, in this department, that over sixty houses of worship have been erected during the past year, that otherwise could not have been built, and that most valuable church property has been saved to our denomination, to the value of more than \$100,000, which otherwise would have been lost. The prospect for the completion of the entire half million subscription to this fund was never more encouraging. We feel confident that the "*ten men*," to make up one-half this sum by a subscription of \$25,000 each, will soon be obtained, and that the residue, not already subscribed, will speedily be forthcoming to make up the balance of the Half Million Church Edifice Fund of the American Baptist Home Mission Society.

E. E. L. TAYLOR,

Cor. Sec. Ch. Ed. Department.

MISSIONARY TABLE.

Names of Missionaries.	Fields of Labor.	Weeks of Labor.	Sermons Preach'd.	No. Baptized.	Teachers and Scholars in S. S. and Bible schools.	Contributions to Benevolent Objects.	Families or Persons Religiously Visited.
MASSACHUSETTS.						\$ c.	
Alanson P. Mason, D.D.	Dist. Secretary for New England...	26	33	—	—	—	—
" "	" " " "	26	39	—	—	—	—
VERMONT.							
Narcisse Cyr.....	French in New England	39	57	5	—	—	384
" "	" " " "	13	25	—	—	—	50
Joshua Aber.....	" " " "	13	82	5	—	—	434
NEW YORK.							
Jay S. Backus, D. D....	North America.....	52	79	—	—	—	—
Jas. B. Simmons, D. D.	" " " "	52	63	—	—	—	—
E. E. L. Taylor, D. D....	" " " "	52	80	—	—	—	—
H. W. Jones.....	" " " "	40	—	—	—	—	—
James French.....	General Missionary	22	33	—	—	—	—
Henry Fellman.....	Germans in Syracuse	13	25	2	80	20 79	290
" "	" " " "	39	77	4	208	51 96	569
Thomas Green.....	Tuscarora Indians	26	59	1	51	—	52
" "	" " " "	26	55	—	—	2 00	45
H. W. Barnes.....	Niagara Falls	22	65	—	85	25 50	70
P. L. Jones.....	Dunkirk	1	18	2	200	13 00	20
Miner G. Clarke.....	" " " "	—	—	—	—	—	—
Chas. Gayer.....	Germans in Morrisania	39	131	—	149	161 00	671
" "	" " " "	13	45	1	93	45 04	178
W. H. Cutler.....	Tuscarora Indians	26	88	—	60	25 00	65
J. B. Smith.....	Geneva	22	53	8	271	44 25	261
" "	" " " "	26	91	9	209	39 29	313
Wm. Argow.....	Germans in Albany	26	94	4	98	71 50	443
" "	" " " "	26	109	4	182	38 95	531
C. W. Brooks.....	Central Counties	13	28	2	—	—	80
" "	Watkins and in Schuyler County.....	39	147	5	150	43 30	575
C. G. Bergstedt.....	Swedes in N. Y. and Brooklyn.....	39	78	6	20	—	685
" "	" " " "	13	27	3	22	—	144
A. B. Welch.....	Seamen in Port of New York	13	—	—	—	—	612
" "	" " " "	39	—	—	—	—	267
Willard Wheeler.....	" " " "	13	—	—	—	—	1,093
" "	" " " "	39	—	—	—	—	199
C. H. Johnson.....	Clinton	52	164	3	221	34 30	150
H. Steelman.....	Elizabethtown	39	193	10	66	70 60	214
" "	" " " "	13	62	1	77	11 00	73
Jacob Gray.....	Livonia Station	52	110	—	68	20 00	64
G. D. Blessene.....	Germans in Erie County	26	89	—	—	104 00	380
" "	" " " "	13	48	—	—	—	196
Samuel D. Merrick.....	Addison	26	53	—	86	55 00	—
" "	" " " "	26	65	—	113	—	100
Stephen V. Marsh.....	Waterloo	13	24	1	160	12 33	72
L. Golden.....	Redwood	26	65	3	319	29 80	201
" "	" " " "	26	77	—	158	35 00	274
R. Z. Williams.....	North Bay	13	39	—	—	34 00	65
Phillander Perry.....	Black River Association	22	58	—	—	—	72
Peter Goo.....	Ovid	26	58	—	54	—	143
J. W. Marsh.....	Chemung	39	112	5	86	25 60	—
" "	" " " "	13	50	5	80	12 00	—

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NEW YORK.							
George A. Schulte.....	Gen. Missionary among Germans. P. O., Buffalo, New York.....	39	133	—	—	\$ c.	—
E. T. Hunt.....	Hoosic Falls.....	52	91	22	157	24 42	80
Guy Jameson.....	Alleghany Indians.....	26	78	4	13	—	25
Peter Ritter.....	Germans in Folsomdale and vicin.....	26	69	—	—	—	280
C. Hieronymus.....	Salem Ch. (Germans) New York.....	13	45	2	101	—	300
H. Cornell.....	Fort Crane.....	52	159	6	63	—	140
S. W. Hatch.....	Jefferson County.....	27	61	—	101	26 10	95
J. B. Morse.....	Whiteplains.....	13	26	—	—	—	175
Wm. Pike.....	Delphi.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Arthur Day.....	Naples.....	13	40	—	51	6 50	185
L. Q. Galpin.....	Seamen in port of New York.....	26	—	—	—	—	217
Godfrey Craft.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
PENNSYLVANIA.							
Thomas Swaim, D. D.....	Dis. Sec. for N. J., Pa. and Del.....	13	32	—	—	—	—
Reinhard Otto.....	Germans in Birmingham.....	13	30	5	148	65 00	238
E. J. Deckman.....	—	39	123	3	104	174 00	667
John Linker.....	—	2	64	6	84	122 25	183
W. B. Connolly.....	Corry.....	52	108	1	168	34 63	347
G. D. Blessene.....	Germans in Philadelphia.....	13	52	3	110	—	270
DELAWARE.							
G. W. Folwell.....	Wilmington.....	13	26	1	496	100 00	—
O. F. Flippo.....	Wyoming.....	39	103	6	454	65 64	224
		26	125	23	—	45 00	133
MARYLAND.							
W. C. Dennis.....	Beaver Dam.....	13	65	—	80	—	100
" ".....	" ".....	4	6	—	—	—	41
*T. Washington.....	Newburg.....	13	—	—	147	—	74
A. T. Jones.....	Milestown.....	13	12	—	120	—	—
Harvey Johnson.....	Hancock.....	13	16	—	51	—	200
*Harrison Davis.....	Centreville.....	13	—	—	40	—	43
Cephas L. Davis.....	Forestville.....	13	16	—	—	—	44
*Miss E. G. Jackson.....	Cokesburg.....	13	—	—	32	—	—
Hunter Harden.....	Island Creek.....	8	—	—	60	—	—
DIST. OF COLUMBIA.							
*G. M. P. King.....	Wayland Seminary.....	13	—	—	—	—	—
" ".....	" ".....	39	10	—	—	—	—
*Miss Mary A. Howe.....	" ".....	13	—	—	—	—	—
" ".....	" ".....	39	—	—	—	—	—
*Thomas Paul.....	" ".....	9	—	—	60	—	—
*James Storum.....	" ".....	26	—	—	—	—	150
C. C. Meador.....	Washington.....	39	117	—	314	—	781
Samuel Early.....	" ".....	39	128	66	338	—	2,900
VIRGINIA.							
J. P. Corron.....	Botetourt and other counties.....	26	116	481	1,653	100 05	510
" ".....	" ".....	26	94	264	1,562	100 00	459
Wm. Thornton.....	Hampton.....	13	36	—	52	—	75
J. M. Dawson.....	Williamsburg.....	39	148	19	—	19 50	78
" ".....	" ".....	13	41	—	106	8 00	34
Joseph Walker.....	Charlotte and other counties.....	37	134	127	155	19 70	365
Joseph Gregory.....	Franklin Depot.....	26	81	30	175	—	66
" ".....	" ".....	26	79	24	178	19 00	82

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VIRGINIA.							
John Lyles.....	Shenandoah Valley.....	45	230	32	25	\$ c.	60
Wm. A. Pearson.....	Rocketts.....	35	89	4	124	132 34	103
F. W. Morris.....	Staunton.....	39	159	76	55	—	362
Wm. C. Hall.....	Williamsburg.....	52	208	—	145	—	828
James Kenner.....	Middlesex County.....	26	78	192	515	—	80
John Blenner.....	Richmond.....	26	11	—	148	—	946
J. T. Kincannon.....	Rocketts.....	17	28	1	109	14 00	27
*Chas. H. Corey.....	Colver Institute, Richmond.....	13	12	—	—	—	—
*Miss H. W. Goodman.....	" " " ".....	39	41	—	—	—	—
" " " ".....	" " " ".....	52	—	—	—	—	—
" " " ".....	" " " ".....	39	—	—	—	—	—
*Joseph E. Jones.....	" " " ".....	26	1	—	28	—	73
*William Cousins.....	" " " ".....	26	1	—	35	—	51
*J. T. Armistead.....	" " " ".....	26	—	—	53	—	35
W. H. Scott.....	Locust Hill.....	13	—	—	30	—	—
Wm. Bassett.....	Harmony Village.....	3	74	—	130	—	16
Daniel Stewart.....	Kilmarnock.....	17	51	171	100	—	37
Amos Powell.....	News Ferry.....	13	28	—	27	—	46
W. W. Colley.....	Deatonville.....	13	16	—	101	—	56
John M. Armistead.....	Lynchburg.....	13	23	—	51	—	48
Wm. A. Thompson.....	Keysville.....	13	36	14	174	—	20
Joseph E. Jones.....	Lynchburg.....	13	28	—	228	—	135
Henry Bacon.....	Boydton.....	13	6	—	63	—	20
Whitfield Clarke.....	Meherrin.....	13	26	—	182	—	15
Wm. Cousins.....	Loretta.....	13	14	—	—	—	6
Chas. McDaniel.....	Gilfield.....	13	20	3	81	—	20
T. C. Chavis.....	Hanover, C. H.....	13	8	—	60	—	10
*Miss J. M. Bartlett.....	Portsmouth.....	17	—	—	36	—	20
*Miss A. H. Draper.....	" " " ".....	9	—	—	17	—	11
*Miss M. L. Knowles.....	Richmond.....	13	—	—	27	—	19
*Miss F. C. Rogers.....	" " " ".....	13	—	—	—	—	—
*Miss F. E. Troy.....	" " " ".....	13	—	—	14	—	—
J. H. Fox.....	" " " ".....	—	—	—	—	—	—
R. W. Cridlin.....	Providence and Mount Calvary.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
WEST VIRGINIA.							
J. Rowley.....	Wheeling.....	26	64	—	—	—	150
" " " ".....	" " " ".....	13	26	—	—	—	—
Theophilus Koerber.....	Germans in Parkersburg.....	52	152	2	60	23 79	434
KENTUCKY.							
A. Henrich.....	Germans in Louisville.....	52	292	27	129	179 50	593
TENNESSEE.							
*D. W. Phillips.....	Nashville.....	26	30	—	—	—	—
" " " ".....	" " " ".....	26	62	—	—	—	—
E. Strode.....	Edgefield.....	7	12	—	65	45 00	25
Thomas Postell.....	Union and Farmington counties.....	26	100	23	1,089	—	670
*Elizabeth H. Smith.....	Nashville.....	39	—	—	67	—	—
Andrew J. Cushing.....	" " " ".....	23	39	—	147	89 67	71
S. H. Cate.....	" " " ".....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Thomas A. Higdon.....	Polk County.....	26	106	97	500	30 00	500
" " " ".....	" " " ".....	13	46	6	466	32 00	300
Carrie Dyer.....	Nashville.....	26	—	—	—	—	56
Peter Gwinn.....	Norristown and Ledvale.....	26	125	57	175	93 40	87
J. T. Kincannon.....	Southwest Va. and East Tenn.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
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NORTH CAROLINA.							
H. M. Tupper.....	Raleigh.....	13	13	3	275	\$ c.	—
"	"	39	102	32	275	4 00	—
*Miss Harriette M. Buss	Shaw Institute, Raleigh.....	13	—	—	82	—	—
"	"	26	—	—	—	—	—
Jesse Corn.....	Cherokee and Clay counties.....	39	164	41	625	—	839
*Matilda Barker.....	New Berne and James City.....	39	—	—	—	—	79
D. E. Perry.....	"	26	—	—	—	—	—
SOUTH CAROLINA.							
Tilman R. Gaines.....	Charleston.....	39	114	2	162	—	30
R. F. Bythewood.....	Beaufort.....	39	127	33	80	—	55
Gabriel Poole.....	Greenville.....	13	32	—	270	—	140
Benj. L. Brisbane.....	St. Helena and Port Royal.....	18	54	—	73	—	236
Monroe Boykin.....	Keshan County.....	23	86	55	102	18 00	97
*Timothy S. Dodge.....	Benedict Institute, Columbia.....	13	—	—	30	—	21
Isaac C. Brockenton.....	Darlington, C. H.....	13	60	—	70	—	308
O. F. Gregory.....	Mount Pleasant.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
L. C. Hinton.....	Chester County.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
GEORGIA.							
Isaac W. Brinkerhof.....	Savannah.....	26	37	—	—	—	25
W. J. Wootten.....	Lumpkin County.....	13	40	3	425	—	50
"	"	39	126	32	530	—	415
*Wm. D. Sigfried.....	School at Augusta.....	26	49	—	250	5 52	—
"	"	9	7	—	—	30 00	—
*Miss C. H. Merrick.....	"	9	—	—	100	—	—
*Miss C. L. Carter.....	"	4	—	—	—	—	—
*Miss Mary J. Welch.....	"	13	—	—	104	—	—
"	"	17	—	—	49	—	—
L. B. Carter.....	Burke and Jefferson counties.....	13	39	8	300	8 65	28
James H. Field.....	White and other counties.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
FLORIDA.							
P. P. Bishop.....	General Missionary for the State.....	26	36	1	—	—	—
"	"	26	36	—	—	51 88	—
Chas. B. Jones.....	Along the St. John's River.....	34	59	2	—	40 00	129
F. C. Johnson.....	Jacksonville.....	52	148	4	73	35 00	230
H. B. McCallum.....	Lake City.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
J. A. Potter.....	Monticello.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Abner B. Campbell.....	Monticello.....	13	63	—	55	50 00	63
Wm. E. Stanton.....	Along the St. John's River.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
ALABAMA.							
H. E. Talliaferro.....	Mount Meigs and other places.....	26	109	35	588	—	184
"	"	26	113	58	—	—	199
Stuart Adams.....	Greenville.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
MISSISSIPPI.							
Perry Deupree.....	Macon.....	26	125	100	287	—	130
"	"	26	125	80	—	—	—
H. E. Hempstead.....	Simpson and other counties.....	39	155	95	210	1 05	150
"	"	13	38	13	95	—	—
Jordan Williams.....	Madison and other counties.....	39	131	157	—	—	95

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LOUISIANA.							
*Wm. Rollinson.....	New Orleans, Leland University ..	13	14	—	—	\$ 125 00	17
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	39	45	—	—	—	197
*Mrs. Abbie Whittier..	" " " " " " " " " " " "	13	—	—	—	—	—
TEXAS.							
F. Klefer.....	Germans in the State ..	18	89	4	—	—	14*
F. W. Shalike.....	" " " " " " " " " " " "	35	59	—	—	—	292
Jacob Fontaine.....	Colored people in Austin ..	—	—	—	—	—	—
MICHIGAN.							
A. E. Mather.....	General Missionary for the State ..	39	69	—	—	—	—
R. B. Desroches.....	French in Detroit ..	13	39	3	172	—	250
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	39	118	7	606	—	750
F. N. Barlow.....	Alpena ..	39	111	68	212	71 00	150
A. Ludwig.....	Casco ..	52	204	—	—	—	—
C. Yung.....	Germans in Detroit ..	39	124	—	138	17 00	338
Ephraim Mills.....	Traverse City ..	39	95	4	53	13 00	182
Theodore Nelson.....	Ithaca, Almar, &c.	13	28	—	95	6 00	45
J. L. De Land.....	East Saginaw ..	13	59	3	397	—	270
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	26	82	2	405	5 00	113
M. C. Stanley.....	Concord ..	17	41	—	115	25 25	85
J. C. Armstrong.....	Chelsea ..	13	30	2	171	—	185
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	26	66	5	166	22 91	370
G. W. Miner.....	Mendon ..	39	99	8	105	28 58	270
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	13	42	—	124	7 00	130
G. W. Jenks.....	Fowlersville and Byron ..	26	69	—	—	—	225
Chas. Oldfield.....	Cedar Springs ..	13	126	21	—	—	—
E. L. Millis.....	Three Oaks ..	52	174	10	75	5 00	141
James F. Hill.....	Muskegon ..	26	56	—	91	12 50	128
Norman Carr.....	Flower Creek and Grant ..	13	41	2	60	6 00	155
J. C. Jordan.....	Autrim and other counties ..	13	39	—	—	—	200
Wm. A. Kingsbury.....	St. Clair ..	13	39	—	223	26 24	100
Thomas Pollard.....	Austin and other places ..	13	18	—	—	—	57
E. Beardsley.....	East Tamas ..	13	41	—	—	4 00	100
M. Howard.....	Whitehall ..	13	26	2	76	12 00	60
T. M. Shanafelt.....	Monroe ..	13	42	—	135	145 00	125
B. J. Boynton.....	Owasco ..	13	28	2	152	24 54	50
OHIO.							
Stephen B. Page.....	General Missionary for the State ..	26	44	—	—	—	—
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	26	18	—	—	—	—
INDIANA.							
J. P. Agenbroad.....	Richmond ..	52	123	—	220	61 00	674
C. Tecklenburg.....	Germans in Evansville, &c.	26	87	1	72	15 00	255
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	26	90	—	87	28 00	245
C. Koopman.....	Germans in Indianapolis.....	8	6	—	—	—	150
W. N. Wyeth.....	Wabash.....	26	69	1	137	10 00	129
ILLINOIS.							
I. N. Hobart.....	Gen. Miss. Northern part of the State	26	48	—	—	—	—
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	13	29	—	—	—	—
I. S. Graham.....	" " Southern ..	39	137	11	—	—	1,079
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	13	29	—	—	—	312
F. Melchert.....	Germans on line Central R. R.	39	113	1	216	143 25	371
" " " " " " " " " " " "	" " " " " " " " " " " "	13	39	4	195	26 00	118

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ILLINOIS.							
J. H. Mize	Murphysboro	26	52	1	170	\$ c.	156
J. J. Valkenaar	Dutch in Pekin	26	35	—	—	—	75
Louis Auger	French in St. Anne	26	69	1	32	125 30	1,908
C. J. Kelly	White County	26	42	—	—	—	174
J. J. W. Place	Bushnell	26	34	12	54	—	123
R. R. Coon	Moweaqua and Assumption	26	66	—	116	42 80	216
J. Cauch	Malta	3	40	—	—	4 50	130
John Bolton	Cameron	39	102	4	107	—	168
John Young	Polo	13	38	2	145	—	27
J. F. McKusick	Noble and Olney	21	49	—	100	—	115
E. N. Elton	Oquawaka	26	84	—	100	12 50	325
J. Bulkley, D. D.	Nellwood	13	39	—	—	5 00	93
F. Hoeftlin	Germans in Chicago	26	57	—	—	—	285
A. W. Jackson	Jacksonville	13	28	—	—	—	118
J. M. Stifter	Nokomis	24	47	3	32	—	68
D. C. Adams	Nashville	13	40	—	138	14 72	21
I. H. Elkin	Louisville	39	117	2	242	22 27	315
W. C. F. Hempstead	Edwardsville	13	51	6	—	—	53
E. M. Overstreet	Hopewell and Belle Prairie	39	111	9	238	28 45	193
J. F. Merriam	McLean	39	141	10	—	334 75	345
J. A. Edgren	Swedes in Chicago	39	65	3	175	—	—
W. V. Kitzmiller	Girard and Chatham	39	127	8	169	30 75	155
L. W. P. Gilbert	Clark and Cumberland counties	26	80	8	102	28 15	100
K. G. Hay	White and Hamilton counties	52	1-2	—	—	—	57
D. McArthur	Friendship and Bethel	39	82	1	—	—	355
A. L. Jordan	Onarga	39	142	42	181	5 00	71
G. F. Willis	Sidney	13	55	—	80	15 85	167
Olof Bergstrom	Swedes in Northwestern Ill.	26	81	9	173	91 82	194
J. H. Delano	Sciota and Blandesville	64	27	—	14	—	34
F. B. Ives	Princeton and Earlville	26	121	25	—	6 00	40
P. Kline	Leland	7	38	39	—	10 5	37
J. O. Metcalf	Springfield	13	65	12	—	3 15	164
Wm. Washington	Champaign	26	52	1	165	70 00	—
A. Rhodes	Effingham	26	87	18	131	4 35	111
C. J. Switzer	Lockport	13	70	2	—	—	50
		13	62	—	78	—	42
		13	46	—	57	4 00	80
		13	41	2	15	33 00	138
		—	—	—	—	—	—
		13	60	8	25	—	28
		13	41	—	135	31 25	134
		13	27	—	127	9 25	130
WISCONSIN.							
Joel W. Fish	General Missionary	52	211	25	—	—	157
Theo. Klinker	Germans at Manitowoc	39	185	1	13	25 14	572
Alex. Hamilton	Fort Howard	26	66	1	146	39 50	220
E. S. Thomas	Omro and vicinity	13	36	—	15	—	104
C. J. Westergaard	Danes and Norwegians	26	90	3	90	131 62	410
John Wilkins	Germans in Racine	26	94	—	140	13 52	268
Simpson Todd	Sheboygan Falls	52	153	2	72	98 65	—
Rasmus Hanson	Scandinavians in Washara, &c.	13	48	—	230	11 50	205
D. P. Phillips	Lafayette Association	13	41	—	—	—	130
John Y. Aitchinson	West Eau Claire	26	78	14	49	4 55	144
Joseph Wassall	Mazo Manie	26	116	8	—	5 00	377
S. E. Sweet	De Soto	26	73	—	198	76 50	258
J. Snashall	Evansville	26	72	7	114	25 00	101
Enoch Prowtly	Spring Green	4	8	1	110	10 90	335
James Delaney	Whitewater	26	45	4	87	6 00	160
	and Boscobel	26	89	16	100	—	243
		39	80	2	76	10 00	270
		13	28	—	63	60 00	110

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WISCONSIN.							
Levi Fosdick.....	Newcastle.....	37	133	4	36	\$ c. 24 84	154
A. B. Green.....	St. Croix and La Salle Associations.	39	132	2	—	270 48	1,200
L. Ross.....	Fort Scott, Sun Prairie, &c.....	13	48	1	153	4 15	58
John H. Wildman.....	Portage.....	13	39	—	99	22 45	38
John Ring.....	Scandinavians, St. Croix Valley.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
H. W. Brown.....	Black River Falls.....	22	55	13	107	—	200
".....	Oconomowoc.....	13	100	75	—	271 00	—
W. H. Batson.....	Plattsville.....	17	34	2	127	—	98
MINNESOTA.							
Amory Gale.....	General Missionary for the State.....	39	110	10	—	—	912
".....	".....	13	40	1	—	—	199
Olaus Okerson.....	Swedes in Swede Grove, &c.....	26	135	16	97	10 44	470
".....	".....	26	187	6	—	10 00	578
E. C. Sanders.....	Garden City.....	26	66	1	132	—	80
C. S. Luce.....	Freeborn and Berlin.....	26	78	1	151	20 00	134
".....	Morristown.....	26	111	—	76	8 00	111
Walter Ross.....	Wayne and other counties.....	39	80	3	116	12 00	130
".....	Le Roy and other places.....	13	26	—	115	—	40
A. D. Williams.....	Brooklyn, &c.....	39	112	6	198	58 25	249
J. B. Tuttle.....	Anoka.....	52	137	7	154	52 10	—
J. Ongman.....	Scandinavians.....	13	79	16	—	136 4	126
".....	Swedes South and West.....	26	114	7	—	100 00	193
A. Gibson.....	Farmington.....	26	94	—	127	35 65	265
".....	".....	26	103	2	132	10 00	375
J. H. Shepardson.....	Sherburne County.....	26	78	2	—	—	230
".....	".....	26	78	9	228	—	221
Lyman B. Tefft.....	Mankato.....	39	85	5	100	21 00	141
".....	".....	7	19	—	60	—	—
Geo. D. Menger.....	Germans.....	39	110	4	57	22 25	399
Harrison Daniels.....	Fairbault.....	39	67	7	135	64 50	300
Edgar Cady.....	Pleasant Grove and Eyota.....	39	82	1	195	6 00	231
Ebenezer Thompson.....	Litchfield and Forest City.....	39	90	1	75	—	120
F. O. Neilson.....	Scandinavians.....	39	123	6	70	10 00	700
J. A. Peterson.....	".....	13	30	—	44	62 60	50
John Anderson.....	".....	26	99	12	73	72 50	291
H. W. Stearns.....	St. Anthony.....	26	37	—	140	34 0	279
A. L. Cole.....	".....	—	—	—	—	—	—
John J. Bronson.....	Freeborn and Berlin.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
NEBRASKA.							
J. N. Webb.....	General Missionary for the State.....	45	128	9	—	—	60
P. H. Dam.....	Scandinavians.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
Isaac C. Jones.....	Burt County.....	13	27	—	208	20 00	97
".....	".....	39	81	1	275	—	138
Truman S. Lowe.....	Brownsville.....	26	65	6	9	10 00	22
E. D. Thomas.....	Salem.....	45	157	9	—	15 00	51
J. McDonald.....	Fremont.....	52	124	4	84	9 00	670
G. W. Freeman.....	Line of the Pacific Railroad.....	26	50	2	—	83 25	152
".....	".....	13	27	55	—	78 65	93
Caleb A. Miller.....	Ashland and vicinity.....	39	125	—	—	5 00	275
Mark Noble.....	Fairbury.....	39	121	4	17	—	388
H. A. Guild.....	Nebraska City.....	39	181	24	71	—	438
W. B. Bingham.....	Pawnee City.....	26	148	4	—	—	203
E. L. Clark.....	Seward.....	26	38	1	46	—	—
P. M. McLeod.....	Plattsmouth and Eight Mile Grove.....	32	85	—	25	—	157
Amos Johnson.....	Omaha.....	26	99	3	85	25 34	478
Theodore Hessel.....	Omaha and Council Bluffs.....	26	104	7	117	—	336
".....	Scandinavians.....	26	83	—	—	150 00	183
J. M. Taggart.....	Blair.....	26	68	—	121	—	68
Joseph Hyde.....	Bellevue.....	26	69	2	12	—	118
E. D. Phillips.....	Tecumseh.....	13	41	1	—	—	60
Morgan Edwards.....	Brownsville.....	—	—	—	—	—	—
O. T. Conger.....	Lincoln.....	9	17	—	41	—	117

NAMES OF MISSIONARIES.	FIELDS OF LABOR.	Weeks of Labor.	Sermons Preach'd.	No. Baptized.	Teachers and Scholars in S. S. and Bible schools.	Contributions to Benevolent Objects.	Families or Per- sons Religiously Visited.
IOWA.							
T. F. Thickston.	Council Bluffs	13	27	—	109	\$ 28 00	244
James Jeffrey	Algona	39	123	11	125	28 00	448
Elihu Gunn	Mount Pleasant, Iowa	26	70	—	54	11 50	188
P. H. Dam	Scandinavians in West Iowa	26	57	—	198	—	212
Edw'd P. Savage	Lyons	13	42	4	—	—	126
J. Sunderland	Sioux City	39	123	1	35	—	356
J. Edminster	Atlantic	9	23	1	96	27 76	62
H. D. Weaver	Webster City	—	—	—	—	—	—
J. M. Coffman	Sigourney	13	37	1	148	91	150
MISSOURI.							
Gideon Seymour	La Clede County	13	44	—	126	7 85	48
G. W. Huntley	Lebanon	26	93	1	157	—	165
George Kline	St. Joseph and Council Bluffs R. R.	26	103	3	—	—	220
W. W. Settle	Missouri River	13	71	21	22	107 26	144
J. R. Downer	Park Avenue Church, St. Louis	50	103	32	497	35 25	1,112
T. M. Colwell	Fredericktown	13	50	3	198	—	111
Wm. Hildreth	Kirkwood	13	30	6	46	—	85
	N. W. Missouri	13	99	35	—	—	53
	Pleasant Hill	43	183	168	—	529 60	327
KANSAS.							
Robert Atkinson	General Missionary	39	84	6	—	—	—
Winfield Seott	Evangelist	39	143	13	—	341 15	500
A. Hitchcock	Neosho and Humboldt counties	35	91	3	130	—	110
J. R. Downer	Saline and Solomon	39	108	—	149	27 00	310
C. A. Bateman	Chetopah	26	102	5	—	—	130
J. C. Post	Fort Scott	52	196	47	286	60 00	850
Granville Gates	Northeast Kansas	26	88	6	76	—	321
A. M. Averill	Emporia and other places	39	44	—	—	—	60
G. W. Scott	Warrego and Silver Lake	39	121	8	35	—	185
H. A. Brundage	Burlington	39	111	—	68	3 65	165
L. A. Jaeniake	Germans in Dickinson County	26	95	2	—	31 00	—
J. F. Raiden	Republican Valley	26	122	4	—	250 00	—
D. McGregor	Baxters Springs, and Lowell	—	—	—	—	—	—
E. Clarke	Abilene	26	78	—	121	76 25	196
E. Alward	Wathena	13	41	8	—	—	115
T. D. Grow	Angusta	13	24	—	148	50 00	110
T. S. Lowe	Salina	—	—	—	—	—	—
N. L. Rigby	Chetopa	13	26	—	66	—	105
WYOMING TER.							
David J. Pierce	Laramie	31	53	—	71	—	366
COLORADO.							
Thos. T. Potter	Georgetown	10	41	2	114	15 65	60
Joseph Casto	Golden City	26	57	—	120	—	130
B. M. Adams	Canon City	20	44	—	140	190 00	65
S. M. Brown	Greeley	—	—	—	—	—	—
C. T. Floyd	Canon City, &c.	—	—	—	—	—	—
Lewis Raymond	Denver	39	126	8	—	58 70	494
S. D. Bowker	Colorado	—	—	—	—	—	—
DeForest Safford	Golden City	—	—	—	—	—	—
INDIAN TERRITORY							
John B. Jones	General Missionary	39	108	18	193	87 50	139
T. R. Ferguson	Assistant	13	31	1	—	—	30
		24	47	3	—	175 00	68

NAMES OF MISSIONARIES.	FIELDS OF LABOR.	Weeks of Labor.	Sermons Preach'd.	No. Baptized.	Teachers and Scholars in S. S. and Bible schools.	Contributions to Benevolent Objects.	Families or Per- sons Religiously Visited.
INDIAN TERRITORY							
George Swimmer.....	Cherokee Indians	39	79	3	92	\$ c.	111
"	"	13	25	—	—	—	25
Mundy Durant.....	Creek Nation.....	52	120	3	25	—	111
Uyasada.....	Saline District.....	52	167	6	83	—	142
Wm. Leuty.....	Pryon Creek	13	4	—	—	—	—
John Kernal.....	Creek Nation	52	154	16	109	—	—
John Brown.....	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
CALIFORNIA.							
C. B. Post.....	General Missionary	52	143	1	—	—	—
John Francis.....	Chinese in San Francisco	52	114	3	400	—	2,000
Eli Rees.....	Merced and Stanislaus counties.....	26	66	3	9	—	190
C. L. Fisher.....	Santa Clara	52	106	—	80	154 03	680
Sam'l B. C. Morse.....	Stockton	26	51	1	125	231 00	185
Samuel Hill.....	Sonora and other counties	26	62	—	96	14 60	148
"	"	13	30	—	—	16 50	103
J. D. P. Hungate.....	"	—	—	—	—	—	—
A. Clark.....	Bishop Creek	49	132	1	144	115 00	342
Fung Seung Nam.....	Chinese in San Francisco	52	39	—	—	—	—
Samuel E. Reid.....	Stockton	13	38	—	73	—	96
J. W. Luke.....	Santa Rosa	26	54	—	57	34 50	31
C. W. Rees.....	Sacramento River Association	13	28	—	—	—	146
James A. Slover.....	Visalia	13	40	1	—	5 60	48
Ah Wing.....	Chinese	—	—	—	—	—	—
J. B. Saxton.....	Healdsburg	—	—	—	—	—	—
E. B. Hatch.....	San Rafael	—	—	—	—	—	—
OREGON.							
E. C. Anderson.....	Portland	47	102	2	135	63 15	132
T. M. Martin.....	Salem.....	13	40	—	136	6 00	120
"	"	39	77	1	164	30 50	—
WASHINGTON TER.							
Joseph Casto.....	General Missionary	13	39	—	120	—	—
MEXICO.							
Thomas M. Westrup.....	Monterey.....	52	82	11	150	69 75	227
Santiago Diaz.....	Caderella.....	26	115	3	176	72 00	185
J. M. Uranga.....	Santa Rosa.....	13	43	3	60	10 00	120
ONTARIO.							
Henry Kose.....	Germans in Zurich and Logan	26	61	—	59	—	188
"	"	26	84	1	87	12 00	120
MISSIONARIES APPOINTED AND SUPPORTED BY THE LONG ISLAND ASSOCIATION.							
*J. S. Ladd.....	Gen. Missionary, Long Island.....	52	135	15	—	—	574
W. Fasching.....	Williamsburgh.....	52	112	6	130	168 00	—
W. B. Smith.....	Hunters Point	52	120	9	200	—	—
M. Johnston.....	Cold Spring	—	—	1	105	90 00	—
L. Steward.....	Huntington.....	52	—	1	34	15 00	—
A. S. Walsh.....	Jamaica	—	—	5	79	13 00	—
J. B. Barry.....	Port Jefferson.....	40	90	—	102	95 00	—
R. T. Middeditch.....	Flushing.....	—	—	1	200	177 00	—

* Also delivered 102 addresses, attended 90 Prayer Meetings, organized 2 churches.

MISSIONARY TABLE.

TOTAL FOR EACH STATE.	Contributions.	No. of Missionaries.	Sermons Preached.	No. of Persons Baptized.	Churches Organized.	Families or Persons Religiously Visited.	Prayer Meetings Attended.	Contributions to Benevolent Objects from Churches aided.	No. of Persons in Sabbath Schools.
Maine.....	\$1,708 15	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New Hampshire.....	3,275 33	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vermont.....	4,832 35	2	82	5	...	434	80	...	...
Massachusetts.....	42,942 22	1	72	...	...	...	15	...	...
Rhode Island.....	5,576 92	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Connecticut.....	11,579 59	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
New York.....	71,034 28	41	3,414	113	...	10,952	2,233	1,063 07	3,251
New Jersey.....	9,113 88	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pennsylvania.....	11,343 57	6	481	18	...	1,705	184	395 88	614
Delaware.....	377 50	2	254	30	1	357	2 9	210 64	950
District of Columbia.....	117 83	6	255	66	...	3,831	422	...	712
Virginia.....	2,059 57	37	1,915	1,538	17	5,250	1,292	413 59	6,419
West Virginia.....	58 89	2	242	2	...	584	159	23 79	60
Kentucky.....	19 45	1	292	27	...	593	257	179 50	129
Tennessee.....	328 79	10	521	183	1	1,709	333	290 07	2,479
North Carolina.....	249 04	5	279	76	4	918	80	4 00	1,257
South Carolina.....	65 05	10	473	90	3	887	291	18 00	537
Georgia.....	579 47	8	298	33	...	518	105	44 17	1,958
Florida.....	91 88	7	309	7	...	422	84	176 88	138
Alabama.....	...	2	222	93	...	383	272	...	588
Mississippi.....	2 45	3	574	445	10	375	319	1 05	582
Louisiana.....	129 40	2	59	...	...	144	56	125 00	...
Texas.....	12 50	3	148	4	1	432	70	...	...
Michigan.....	4,824 72	24	1,843	141	2	4,624	1,392	437 02	3,629
Ohio.....	4,583 08	1	62	...	...	...	41	...	...
Indiana.....	604 76	4	375	2	...	1,493	332	114 00	516
Illinois.....	7,133 42	38	3,303	228	8	8,858	1,867	1,102 26	3,412
Wisconsin.....	2,732 23	22	2,133	197	...	4,909	1,273	1,140 92	2,294
Minnesota.....	2,392 49	21	2,270	125	6	6,766	1,497	685 63	2,475
Nebraska.....	690 99	20	1,838	132	11	4,102	834	396 24	1,311
Iowa.....	224 31	9	502	18	...	1,786	287	187 17	755
Missouri.....	1,779 17	7	780	269	4	2,285	374	679 96	1,046
Kansas.....	8 3 06	18	1,476	102	13	2,857	873	739 05	1,099
Indian Territory.....	175 00	8	735	50	...	616	961	262 50	452
Colorado.....	635 00	8	268	10	1	749	253	254 35	374
Oregon.....	84 50	2	219	3	4	252	154	99 65	435
California.....	1,958 94	16	903	10	4	3,969	475	569 20	984
Maryland.....	22 80	8	115	...	...	502	132	...	531
Wyoming.....	30 00	1	53	...	...	506	84	...	71
Washington Territory.....	...	1	39	...	...	...	100	...	120
Nevada.....	22 50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Dakota.....	5 50	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Republic of Mexico.....	142 58	3	240	17	4	532	482	151 75	386
Ontario.....	172 61	1	145	1	...	258	19	12 00	146
	\$192,715 77	360	27,189	4,038	90	74,418	17,851	\$8,627 34	39,708

REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLMENT.

The Committee on Enrollment report the whole number present, five hundred and forty, distributed as follows :

	Life Directors.	Life Members.	Delegates.	Totals.
Maine.....	.....	2	1	3
New Hampshire.....	.....	4	1	5
Vermont.....	1	4	5	10
Massachusetts.....	16	29	7	52
Rhode Island.....	2	4	2	8
Connecticut.....	7	8	5	20
New York.....	14	33	27	74
New Jersey.....	7	5	2	14
Pennsylvania.....	5	15	9	29
Delaware.....	1	...	...	1
Maryland.....	.....	.....	1	1
District of Columbia...	.....	.....	1	1
Virginia.....	.....	1	...	1
Ohio.....	4	21	10	35
Indiana.....	.....	13	7	20
Michigan.....	2	31	20	53
Illinois.....	12	64	30	106
Wisconsin.....	2	13	14	28
Minnesota.....	.....	4	6	10
Iowa.....	.....	16	18	34
Missouri.....	.....	7	3	10
Kansas.....	.....	2	2	4
Nebraska.....	.....	1	1	2
California.....	.....	1	1	2
Florida.....	.....	.....	1	1
Colorado.....	1	.....	.....	1
Canada.....	.....	.....	1	1
Unknown.....	8	2	4	14
TOTALS.....	82	279	179	540

IN ACCOUNT WITH EBENEZER CAULDWELL, Treasurer. *Cr.*

1870.		
March 31.	By Balance.....	\$24,554 63
	“ Contributions for general purposes since April 1, 1870.....	91,920 53
	“ Legacies same period.....	17,050 99
	“ Contributions to Church Edifice Fund \$80,850 72	
	“ Loans repaid..... 3,249 66	
	“ Interest on Loans..... 3,969 40	
	“ Legacy..... 36 90	
		38,106 68
	“ Contributions to Freedmen's Fund.....	55,993 21
	“ “ designated.....	1,218 88
	“ Dividend on Bank Stock.....	150 00
	“ Miscellaneous Interest.....	1,354 36
	“ Interest on Vested Funds, by direction of Donors, viz.:	
	Garret N. Bleecker.....\$420 00	
	Theron Fisk..... 175 00	
	Horace Kendall..... 86 77	
	Miss Martha Whiting..... 70 00	
	Miss Mary A. N. Swaim..... 807 44	
	Mrs. Susan Tripp..... 35 00	
	Mrs. Margarette Medera..... 175 00	
	Levi Selleck..... 70 00	
	Mrs. Nancy P. Pease..... 70 00	
	Henry Darling..... 35 00	
		1,944 21
	“ Received on account of Loans to be re-invested..	182 69
	“ Cash in Subscription to <i>Macedonian and Record</i> ..	1,015 68
	“ Bills Receivable.....	336 10
		\$233,827 96
1871		
March 31.	By Balance.....	\$37,493 50

EBENEZER CAULDWELL, Treasurer.

This is to certify that we have carefully examined the foregoing account, and have compared the entries in the books with the vouchers connected therewith, and find the same correct, with the exception of vouchers not returned from the Bank, all of which are noted in our certificate in the Treasurer's Book; leaving a balance in the treasury of thirty-seven thousand, four hundred and ninety-three 50-100 dollars (\$37,493 50).

New York, April 1, 1871.

WM. PHELPS, }
A. B. CAPWELL, } *Auditors.*

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Life Directors made since April 1, 1870.

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 Bowen, E. A., Mendota, Ill., by a friend.

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Dawley, Joseph E., Fall River, Mass., by 1st Ch.

Durfee, George B., Fall River, Mass., by 1st Ch.

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True, Mark, Antrim, N. H., by self.

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Welch, Miss M. Jennie, Augusta, Geo., by self.

Wells, Rev. Richard, Manchester, Va.

Wheatley, Rev. G. W., Westport, Mo., by Ch.

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Abbott, Mrs. Hannah C., Antrim, N. H., by Ch.

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- Bassett, William, Washington, D. C.
- Bates, Arthur J., Boston, Mass.
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- Beecher, Hannon A., Hinesburgh, Vermont, by Ch.
- Benedict, Mrs. Henrietta C., Arlington, Ill., by her husband.
- Benedict, Edward B., Millerton, N. Y., by Ch.
- Bennet, Joel C., Hunt's Hollow, N. Y., Grove and Portage Ch.
- Bennett, B. W. P., Providence, R. I., by Stewart St. Ch.
- Benton, Charles H., Fitchburg, Mass., by Ch.
- Berry, Mrs. Amelia M., Metamora, Ill., by a friend.
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- Billings, Jerome, Brighton, Mass., by Ch.
- Bishop, Hon. J. P., Cleveland, O., by self.
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- Blaney, Mrs. Nancy, Malden, Mass., by self.
- Boice, Mrs. Catharine M., Bangall, N. Y., by self.
- Bowler, John O. F., Lee's Summit, Mo., by self.
- Boyd, Moses H., Chicopee Falls, Mass., by Ch.
- Bray, Melien, Salem, Mass., by Ch.
- Brigham, Hannah S., Le Roy, N. Y., by Ch.
- Brinkerhoff, Mrs. Emily C., Nunda, N. Y., by self.
- Brockenton, J. P., Hamilton, N. Y.
- Bronson, Alvah, Painted Post, N. Y., by Ch.
- Brooks, N. P., Harrisonville, Mo.
- Brown, Charlotte, Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Brown, William, Fall River, Mass., by 1st Ch.
- Brown, E. F., Kingsville, Ohio.
- Bruce, Mrs. Eli, Hudson, Ohio, by herself.
- Bullard, Mrs. Eliza, Albion, N. Y., by Ch.
- Burbank, Sarah F., Fitchburg, Mass., by Ch.
- Burpee, Mrs. Almira, New London, Conn., by Ch.
- Calkin, Rev. A. M., Waverly, Pa., by Bridge-water Ch.
- Campbell, Ezekiel, Springfield, Mo., by self.
- Carey, James H., Richmond, Va.
- Carman, Rev. I. N., Norwalk, Ohio, by Ch.
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- Case, Rev. W. W., Philadelphia, by Chestnut Hill Ch.
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- Chisholm, Mrs. William, Cleveland, Ohio, by self.
- Church, James, Fall River, Mass., by 1st Ch.
- Clarkson, Sarah E., Troy, N. Y., by S. S. of 1st Ch.
- Chamberlain, C. W., Dayton, Ohio, by Ch.
- Chapin, Mrs. Dulinda R., Chicopee Falls, Mass., by Ch.
- Chappell, Rev. F. L., Middletown, Ohio, by members of his Ch.
- Chevers, Rev. Elijah E., Troy, N. Y., by Half Moon and Waterford Chs.
- Clark, Miss Jessie W., Holden, Mass., by friends.
- Cobb, Nathaniel L., Billerica, Mass., by Ch.
- Cobb, Harriet D., Fall River, Mass., by 1st Ch.
- Coddington, A., Janesville, Iowa, by self.
- Coen, Peter A., Washburn, Ill., by Richmond Ch.
- Coffin, Z. E., Salem, Mass., by Ch.
- Coffin, D. W. B., Sen., Salem, Mass., by Ch.
- Colby, W. W., Richmond, Va.
- Colkins, Freeman, Bellevue, Neb., by Ch.
- Collins, Mrs. S. A., Cincinnati, O., by 1st Ch.
- Cook, Rev. R. B., Holmesburg, Pa., by Ch.
- Corlew, Miss Sarah E., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Corprew, Rev. E. G., Portsmouth, Va., by self.
- Cornell, A. M. D., Ionia, Mich., by Ch.
- Cornell, Joseph M., Albion, N. Y., by Ch.
- Covert, Rev. J. F., Graysville, Ohio.
- Cox, Aretas M., Galway, N. Y., by himself.
- Crane, Rev. A. R., Hollowell, Me., by Ch.
- Croft, Andrew J., So. Norwalk, Ct., by S. S.
- Crosby, Isaac B., Cordova, Ill., by self.
- Cross, T. R., Cornellville, N. Y., by Ch.
- Cyr, Rev. Narcisse, Rutland, Vt., by self.
- Dalbey, Rev. W. W., Penningtonville, Pa., by Glen River Ch. & S. S.
- Daniels, Mrs. Elizabeth H., Boston, Mass., by Warren Av. Ch.

Daniels, Mrs. Maria F., Detroit, Mich.
 Davies, Rev. John, So. Norwalk, Ct.
 Davis, Cephas, Washington, D. C.
 Davis, E. H., Aurora, Ind., by Ch.
 Dean, Mrs. D. E., Ashland, Neb., by Salt Creek Ch.
 Dempsey, Rev. Robert, Hale, Ill., by Ch.
 De Wolfe, Rev. Charles H., Avon, O., by Ch.
 Diétz, Rev. Henry L., New Haven, Ct., by 1st Ch.
 Dougherty, George W., Phila., Pa.
 Dougherty, Mrs. George W., Phila., Pa.
 Douglass, F. A., Piqua, Ohio, by Ch.
 Drury, Rev. Lucian, Winchendon, Mass., by Ch.
 Duncan, Miss Caroline, Haverhill, Mass., by self.
 Eldridge, Miss Hattie, Aurora, Ohio, by self.
 Ellenwood, S. Grace, Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
 Elliott, George T., Boston, Mass., Shawmut Av. Ch.
 Entwistle, Rev. Wm., Columbia Station, N. Y., by friends.
 Everett, Miss Oceanna, Washington, D. C.
 Everett, Mrs. Nancy, Brighton, Mass., by Ch.
 Fairfax, Isaac, Washington, D. C., by friends.
 Fay, Mrs. Julia Paine, Albion, N. Y., by Ch.
 Fenner, Daniel N., Flushing, Mich., by Ch.
 Fish, Rev. L. B., Lansing, Mich., by Ch.
 Fitzz, Rev. L. L., Somerset, Mass., by Ch.
 Fly, Jonathan, Easton, Pa., by Ch.
 Ford, Rev. David B., Hanover, Mass., Old Colony Association in 1865.
 Ford, D. W., Troy, N. Y., by S. S. of 1st Ch.
 Foster, A., East Winthrop, Me., by Ch.
 Frame, Emma J., Waukesha, Wis., by her father.
 Freeman, M. P., Richfield, Ohio, by self.
 Frick, Howard T., Philadelphia.
 Fuller, Rev. H. B. Leslie, Mich., by Galesburgh Ch.
 Fuller, J. E., Homer, N. Y.
 Fuller, H. G., Akron, Ohio, by self.
 Gallup, Nehemiah M., Mystic, Ct., by 1st Groton Ch.
 Gardner, N. S., Dutch Flat, Cal., by self.
 Gardner, Mrs. A. E. A., Dutch Flat, Cal., by self.
 Gardner, Sterling, Hamilton, N. Y.
 Gay, Mrs. Susan, New London, Conn., by Ch.
 Gilman, George C., Billerica, Mass., by Ch.
 Givan, Hon. N. M., Harrisonville, Mo.
 Gleason, Mrs. Mattie, Mahomet, Ill., by a friend.

Goldsmith, N., Cincinnati, Ohio.
 Gould, Prof. E. P., Salem, Mass., by the Ch.
 Goodrich, G. A., Lincoln, Neb., by self.
 Graves, Henry, Three Rivers, Mass., by friends.
 Gray, Mrs. John H., Seville, Ohio, by Ch.
 Greeley, Daniel M., Hudson, N. H., by Mrs. Greeley.
 Grippin, W. A., Troy, N. Y., by S. S. of 1st Ch.
 Gross, John A. D., Salem, Mass., by Ch.
 Guild, Rev. George P., Kinderhook, Ill., by Quincy Association.
 Gulley, O. S., Detroit, Mich., by Mrs. M. F. Daniels.
 Gundy, Rev. J. J., Oxford, Mich.
 Gunn, Rev. W. C. Leslie, Mich., by Ch.
 Haddock, Mrs. William, New York, Macdougall St. Ch.
 Haddock, James T., Wilmington, Del., by Delaware Av. Ch.
 Hagan, Fred G., Providence, R. I., by Friendship St. Ch.
 Hamblet, Eli, Hudson, N. H., by H. Hadley.
 Hammers, James A., Metamora, Ill., by Richland Ch.
 Haradon, Rev. John S., Goffstown Centre, N. H., by Ch.
 Harris, William L., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
 Harris, Henry S., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
 Harwood, E., Cincinnati, Ohio, by self.
 Harwood, Mrs. E., Cincinnati, Ohio, by husband.
 Hastings, S. S., Seville, Ohio, by self.
 Haywood, Miss Mary L., Bridgeport, Ct., by S. S.
 Hemenway, Elihu, Nor. Leverett, Mass., by Ch.
 Henry, Mrs. L. C., Schnyler's Falls, N. Y., by the Association.
 Henshey, D. C., Springfield, Mo., by self.
 Herrick, Miss Sarah C., Lawrence, Mass., by 2d Ch.
 Hewitt, Rev. J. M. O., Waupun, Wis.
 Higgins, Mary R., Flemington, N. J., by friends.
 Hill, Mrs. Eliza S., Reading, Mass., by Dr. J. H. Hanaford.
 Hill, Mrs. Julia, Hook's Point, Iowa, by self.
 Hill, Mrs. Julia, Fox Lake, Wis., by self.
 Hobart, Adorinam Judson, Ogden, Utah.
 Hopkins, Warren B., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Church.
 Hopkins, S. R., Delavan, Ill., by a friend.
 Horner, Eri W., Rutland, Vt., by Ch.
 Hough, Miss Hattie S., Kingsville, O., by Ch.

- Howard, Jefferson T., Saxton's River, Vt., by Ch.
 Howard, Judson J., Rutland, Vt., by Ch.
 Hubbard, Rev. Andrew C., Danbury, Ct., by 2d Ch.
 Hubbard, Mrs. Andrew C., Danbury, Ct., by 2d Ch.
 Hudson, James S., Providence, R. I., by Friendship St. Ch.
 Huggins, Rev. James, Brooklyn, N. Y.
 Hull, Elias, Warren, Ohio, by Ch.
 Hull, Oscar J., New Haven, Ct, by 1st Ch.
 Hutchinson, Rev. J., Titicut, Mass., by Old Colony Association.
 Hutton, Rev. J. B., Mt. Gilead, Ohio.
- Ingham, Albert C., Meridan, N. Y., by self.
- James, Frank E., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
 James, E. Fendall, Wilmington, Del., by Delaware Av. Ch.
 Johnston, Mrs. Celestia A., Newark, N. J.
 Johnson, Harvey, Washington, D. C.
 Jones, Joseph E., Hamilton, N. Y.
 Jones, A. T., Washington, D. C.
 Jones, Mrs. I. C., Silver Creek, Neb., by the Omaha Association.
 Judd, Henry D., Southington, Ct., by Ch.
 Jutten, Rev. David B., Butternuts, N. Y., by Ch.
- Kenedy, Fred., Cortland, N. Y.
 Kennedy, J. R., So. Framingham, Mass., by Ch.
 Kinne, Rev. Niles, Payson, Ill., by Ch.
 Kinney, Miss Maria, Cortland, N. Y.
 King, Mrs. Alfreda H., by a friend.
 Kirke, Rev. A. G., New Brighton, Pa.
 Kirby, Benjamin, New York.
 Kneeland, Silas, Masonville, N. Y.
- Lathrop, Harry, Le Roy, N. Y., by Ch.
 Lathrop, Mrs. Clarissa, Boston, Mass., by Warren Av. Ch.
 Leach, Rev. H. C., Cannonsville, N. Y.
 Learned, Mrs. Adda S., Painted Post, N. Y., by Ch.
 Lee, Philip, Washington, D. C.
 Lewis, Ebenezer E., Ottawa, Ill., by Ch.
 Lock, Foster B., Saxton's River, Vt., by Ch.
 Lowrey, R. J., Berlin Heights, O., by self.
 Lyon, Rev. W. E., East Saginaw, Mich., by Ch. in Clyde.
- Mann, Mrs. Wm. H., Phila., Pa.
 Mann, Wm. H., " "
- Mann, Mrs. Joseph H., Phil., Pa.
 Mann, Mrs. Benjamin, " "
 Manning, Mrs. J. K., Keyport, N. J., by Ch.
 McIntire, John K., Dayton, Ohio, by Ch.
 Macomber, Francis E., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
 Macomber, Fannie H., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
 McGonegal, Miss Irence, Keyport, N. J., by Ch.
 McLean, Mrs. Ellen J., Cordova, Ill., by a friend.
 Marshall, Benjamin W., Rutland, Vt., by Ch.
 Martin, Mrs. R. G., Oakland, Cal., by friends.
 Martindale, Hannah, Kirtland, Ohio, by self.
 Mather, Mrs. A. E., Detroit, Mich., by Lafayette Av. Ch.
 Matteson, Colby, Berwick, Ill., by self.
 Means, Ralph, Pittsburgh, Pa., by S. S. of 1st Ch.
 Medberry, John A., Seekonk, Mass., by a friend.
 Millar, J. J., Somerville, Mass.
 Minch, Miss Emma M., Roadstown, N. J., by Cohansey Ch.
 Morrill, Emma F., Brighton, Mass., by Ch.
 Moore, Miss Julia G., Holden, Mass., by friends.
 Moore, Rev. E. L., Neponsett, Ill., by Ch.
 Morehouse, Oliver, Albion, N. Y., by Ch.
 Morgan, Capt. Ebenezer, Groton, Ct.
 Morris, Jason E., Danbury, Ct., by 2d Ch.
 Morse, Nathan, Elizabethtown, N. Y., by Ch.
 Morris, Rev. D. W., Hyde Park, Pa., by Welsh Ch.
 Musson, William, Butternuts, N. Y., by Ch.
- Needham, Henry E., Scotch Plains, N. J., by S. S.
 Nelson, Robert, Dunkirk, N. Y., by self.
 Newman, William, Butternuts, N. Y.
 Novcross, Mrs. James H., Watertown, Mass., by self.
- Ober, John F., Fitchburg, Mass., by Ch.
 Osborn, Patience, Fall River, Mass., by 1st Ch.
 Owen, Mrs. E. C., Detroit, Mich., by Lafayette Av. Ch.
 Owen, Rev. D. E., Newark, Ohio, by 1st Ch.
- Pack, Rev. William, Centerville, Mich., by self.
 Page, Thomas C., Chicopee Falls, Mass., by Ch.
 Parmelee, Lauren S. E., New York, by Freehold Ch.

- Patch, Mrs. Mary Ann, Boston, Mass., by Warren Av. Ch.
- Patterson, Mrs. Cynthia, Albion, N. Y., by Ch.
- Pattison, S. W., M. D., Ypsilanti, Mich., by self.
- Pearce, F. E., Marietta, Ohio, by Ch.
- Pearson, Miss Marianna L., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Pennington, Miss Kate, Trenton, N. J., by 1st Ch.
- Pepper, Rev. E., Eastport, Me., by Ch.
- Perkins, E. W., Boston, Mass., by Union Temple Ch.
- Persons, N. N., Plattsburg, N. Y., by the Association.
- Peters, Rev. Jared Haines, Phila., by 3d Ch.
- Phelps, Durias, McGrawville, N. Y.
- Phipps, Gardner, Cincinnati, Ohio.
- Phillips, Rev. E. D., Tecumseh, Neb.
- Pierce, Rev. J. D., Laramie, Wyoming.
- Piersons, Lorenzo, McGrawville, N. Y.
- Plummer, Ewing V., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Porter, Alanson, North Leverett, Mass., by Ch.
- Powell, Amos A., Richmond, Va.
- Prentiss, Mrs. Chauncey, Cleveland, Ohio, by her husband.
- Preston, Rev. G. M., Wooster, Ohio, by Ch.
- Probasco, Augustus J., Roadstown, N. J., by Cohamsey Ch.
- Prowitt, George G., So. Norwalk, Ct., by S. S.
- Quick, Martin, Painted Post, N. Y., by Ch.
- Randall, Frank E., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Randall, Nelson, Belchertown, Mass., by Ch.
- Randall, Emilius O., Columbus, Ohio, by his father.
- Richard, B. A., Troy, N. Y., by S. S. of 1st Ch.
- Richardson, Caleb, Hudson, N. H., by a friend.
- Richardson, Mrs. Maria, Willoughby, Ohio, by her brother.
- Richardson, Miss Martha M., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Riehner, John, Cincinnati, Ohio, by 1st Ch.
- Robbins, William H., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Robbins, Mrs. Esther S., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Robbins, Miss B. Maria, Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Roberts, Mrs. Barker, Newburyport, Mass., by Ladies' H. M. Soc.
- Robinson, William S., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Robinson, D. F., Lawrence, Mass., by 2d Ch.
- Rood, Mrs. Laura A., Jericho, Vt., by Ch.
- Roundy, Charles A., Boston, Mass.
- Rush, Rev. Z. C., Newport, Ohio.
- Rues, Georgie D., Cambridgeport, Mass.
- Russell, John, Phila., Pa.
- Russell, Mrs. John, Phila., Pa.
- Sagebeer, Rev. J. L., Vincent, Pa., by Ch.
- Sanborn, F. A., Boston, Mass.
- Sanborn, John H., Salem, Mass., by Ch.
- Sawyer, Miss Clara E. W., Bedford, N. Y., by her father.
- Schults, Rev. George A., Buffalo, N. Y., by Strong Place Ch., Brooklyn.
- Schofield, Rev. E. L., Barry, Ill.
- Scott, W. H., Washington, D. C.
- Sunbower, Rev. A. H., Pottsville, Pa., by Ch.
- Shaftoe, Rev. Thomas, Redford, Mich., by Ch.
- Shanafelt, Rev. A. F., Chester, Pa., by Ch.
- Sheldon, J. Ransom, Cornellville, N. Y., by Ch.
- Simms, Rev. D. B., Utica, Ohio, by Owl Creek Ch.
- Simmons, John, Boston, Mass., by Warren Av. Ch.
- Simonds, John, Fitchburg, Mass., by Ch.
- Simpson, Miss Rachel, Washington, D. C.
- Slade, Albion K., Fall River, Mass., by 1st Ch.
- Smith, Rev. William S. B., Hunter's Point, N. Y., by Ch.
- Smith, T. P., Hamilton, N. Y.
- Smith, Mrs. Wm. T., Cleveland, O., by 1st Ch.
- Snell, Rev. George, Clifton, Neb.
- Suider, Rev. G. W., Columbus, N. J., by Ch.
- Snyder, George, Phila., by North Ch.
- Sparks, Silvester, New York, by Central Park Ch.
- Sparks, Rev. G. W., Lee's Summit, Mo.
- Spendly, C. J., Boston, Mass., by Warren Av. Ch.
- Stacy, E. S., Boston, Mass., by Union Temple Ch.
- Standish, Mrs. Caroline W., Troy, N. Y.
- Stansfield, W. F., Troy, N. Y., by S. S. 1st Ch.
- Stetson, Charles C., New York, by his father.
- Stewart, Daniel, Washington, D. C.
- Stewart, Wm. H., Cleveland, O., by 2d Ch.
- Stone, D. W., Homer, N. Y., by Ch. and State Con.
- Stone, Eben., Salem, Mass., by Ch.
- Stone, Samuel R., Salem, Mass., by Ch.
- Straun, Henry E., Ottawa, Ill., by Ch.
- Strong, Mrs. Augustus H., Cleveland, Ohio, by 1st Ch.

- Struble, Daniel, Fredericktown, Ohio, by self.
- Taft, Amos, West Barre, Ohio, by her husband.
- Taft, Rev. E. A., Cleveland, Ohio, by Cottage Ch.
- Taylor, J. Wm., Cleveland, Ohio, by self.
- Taylor, Mrs. Margaret, Trenton, N. J., by 1st Ch.
- Taylor, Mrs. Simeon, Brighton, Mass., by Ch.
- Tilford, Rev. R., Warren, Ohio, by Ch.
- Thackery, Walter, Fall River, Mass., by 1st Ch.
- Thayer, Miss Clara Osgood, Chicopee Falls, Mass., by Ch.
- Thomas, Ira, Middleboro', Mass., by Central Ch.
- Thomas Anna, Pittsburgh, Pa., 1st Ch. S. S.
- Thompson, William, Hamilton, N. Y.
- Thresher, J. B., Dayton, Ohio, by Ch.
- Thresher, E. M., Dayton, Ohio, by Ch.
- Tolman, Rev. C. F., Chicago, Ill., by self.
- Trowbridge, Mary M., Millerton, N. Y., by Ch.
- Trumpp, Rev. Henry, Newark, N. J., by German Ch.
- Tucker, George E., Fitzburg, Mass., by Ch.
- Turner, Rev. Ephraim, Canton, N. J., by Ch.
- Van Husen, Caleb, Detroit, Mich.
- Vassar, David N., Richmond, Va.
- Walker, Mrs. E. J., Pontiac, Mich., by Mrs. Davis.
- Walker, E. J., M. D., Pontiac, Mich., by Mrs. Davis.
- Wardner, Rev. P. J., Springfield, Ill., by self.
- Washington, Thadeus, Washington, D. C.
- Watson, Rev. W. B., Fredericktown, Ohio, by friends.
- Watson, Cyrus, Homer, N. Y.
- Webb, Mrs. J. N., Lincoln, Neb.
- Webster, Elizabeth L., Boston, Mass., by Shawmut Av. Ch.
- Wentworth, O. M., Boston, Mass., by Union Temple Ch.
- Whitaker, Thomas, Deposit, N. Y.
- Whitney, Augustus A., Adrian, Mich., by self.
- Whitney, N. K., Downers Grove, Ill., by a friend.
- Whitney, E. T., So. Norwalk, Ct., by S. S.
- White, J. Warren, Fitchburg, Mass., by Ch.
- Whitehead, Mrs. Eleanor, New York, by a friend.
- Williams, Mrs. Rachel S., Trenton, N. J., by 1st Ch.
- Williams, Plyn, Iowa, Mich., by Ch.
- Wilson, Rev. George, D. D., Merrilton, Ont.
- Wize, Richard B., Phila., Pa.
- Wize, Mrs. Richard B., Phila., Pa.
- Wood, Mrs. Mary, Philadelphia, by 1st Ch.
- Wood, Rev. J. E., Middleboro', Mass., by 3d Ch. and Ch. in Oxford.
- Wood, Elizabeth H., Fitchburg, Mass., by Ch.
- Woolson, Miss Georgiana, Chicopee Falls, Mass., by Ch.
- Wright, George, Norristown, Pa., by Ch.
- Wyly, Rev. J. L., Millbrook, Ohio, by Ch.
- Yale, Moses, Norwalk, Ohio, by Ch.
- Yale, Mrs. Moses, Norwalk, Ohio, by Ch.
- Yarnell, Rev. L., No. Fairfield, O., by Ch.
- Young, John H., Pittsburg, Pa., S. S. of 1st Ch.

LIST OF LEGACIES

Paid to the Society from April 1, 1870, to March 31, 1871, inclusive.

APRIL.

1870. Annuity of Peter Fisk, Woburn, Mass.,	\$143.55	
" Interest on estate of J. P. Skinner, Brattleboro', Vermont	14.10	\$157 45

MAY.

" Legacy of Henry N. Robb, Seville, Ohio, in part.....	100 00	
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JUNE.

" Interest on Legacy of David Gurney, South Abington, Mass.	\$90.00	
" Legacy of Walter M. Potter, Georgetown, Col., in part	515.00	\$605 00

JULY.

" Legacy of James Crosby, Loudenville, Ohio.....	\$15.00	
" Estate of Martha Trowbridge, Littleton, Mass.	8.00	
" Legacy of Mrs. Ann James, Albany, New York.....	940.00	963 00

AUGUST.

" Legacy of Miss Lucy Bachelder, Lynn, Mass.	\$100.00	
" Legacy of Mrs. Ann James, Albany, New York.....	4,000.00	4,100 00

SEPTEMBER.

" Legacy of H. B. Rounds, Strykersville, New York, in addition.....	\$4.00	
" " H. W. Robb, Seville, Ohio.....	100.00	104 00

OCTOBER.

" Legacy of Hannah Hadley, Hudson, N. H., per Eli Hamblet.....	\$100.00	
" Legacy of Mrs. Betsey B. Eaton, Hillsboro', N. H. .	188.00	
" Annuity of Polly Browning, Uncasville, Conn.	6.25	
" Legacy of Charles Richardson, Strykersville, N. Y. .	125.00	
" Legacy of Mrs. Lydia Davis, Bergen, N. J., per N. D. Herder.....	1,591 69	2,010 94

DECEMBER.

1870. Legacy of James Taylor, North Andover, Mass., per A. J. French.....	\$755.00	
" Legacy of Mrs. Elizabeth Roberts, Hartford, Conn., per. J. W. Demock	3,000.00	
" Legacy of Mrs. Ann James, Albany. N. Y., per A. B. Capwell, Esq.....	2,000.00	
" Legacy of Mrs. Eunice Persons, McGrawville, N. Y., per Carnie Persons.....	50.00	
		\$5,805 00

JANUARY.

1871. Annuity of Benjamin Porter, Danvenport, Mass....	\$72.50	
" Legacy of E. Silliman, Fairfield, Conn.,.....	2,000.00	
" Estate of Miss Davis, Phoenixville, Pa.	10.00	
" Legacy of A. Bingham, Camillas, New York,.....	300.00	
		2,382 50

FEBRUARY.

" Legacy of Hannah Hadley, Hudson, N. H., per Eli Hamblet.....	\$40.75	
" Interest on bequest of T. Fairbanks, Shelburne Falls, Mass.	73.80	
" Interest on bequest of John Woods, Westford, Mass.	117.00	
" Legacy of Wm. Ham, Providence, R. I., per Mrs. Nancy H. Ham.....	94.00	
" Legacy of Mrs. Julia E. Lyman, Hartford, Conn....	200.00	
		525 55

MARCH.

" Legacy of Miss Harriet George, Attleboro', Mass., per E. G. May.....	\$94.00	
" Legacy of Lydia Lyman, Andover, Conn.....	60.00	
" Trustees of Elijah Withington, deceased, New York, per John B. Colman.....	50.00	
" Annuity of David Stanton, deceased, Haddonfield, New Jersey.....	34.00	
" Estate of Rev. S. Conelius, Michigan, per Rev. A. E. Mather.....	15.00	
		253 00

REAL ESTATE BELONGING TO THE SOCIETY.

NEW YORK.

Clinton Co., Chazy.....1 lot.....\$200 00

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Washington.....Lot 10, Square 18.....\$3,500 00

OHIO.

Wood Co.....80 acres.....

WISCONSIN.

Monroe Co.....120 acres.....\$240 00

Marathon Co.....160 acres.....320 00

MINNESOTA.

Mankato.....2 lots.....\$500 00

Winona Co.....60 acres.....300 00

NEBRASKA.

Cass Co.....120 acres.....\$1,200 00

Fontenelle.....2 lots.....

North Platte.....1 lot.....800 00

Grand Island.....1 lot.....700 00

Sidney.....3 lots.....500 00

TENNESSEE.

Nashville.....4 lots.....\$2,500 00

MISSISSIPPI.

Covington.....10 acres.....\$100 00

KANSAS.

Pottowattomie.....320 acres.....\$10,000 00

COLORADO.

Denver City.....Potter's Bequest.....\$10,000 00

WYOMING.

Laramie.....1 lot.....\$1,000 00

Cheyenne.....1 lot.....800 00

Rawlins.....1 lot.....500 00

UTAH.

Corinne.....1 lot.....\$500 00

CONSTITUTION.

NAME.

I.—This Society shall be called the **AMERICAN BAPTIST HOME MISSION SOCIETY.**

OBJECT.

II.—The object of this Society shall be to promote the preaching of the gospel in North America.

MEMBERSHIP.

III.—The Society shall be composed of Annual Delegates, Life Members, and Life Directors. Any Baptist church in union with the denomination may appoint a delegate for an annual contribution of ten dollars, and an additional delegate for each additional thirty dollars. Thirty dollars shall be requisite to constitute a Member for Life; and one hundred dollars paid at one time, or a sum which, in addition to any previous contribution, shall amount to one hundred dollars, shall be requisite to constitute a Director for Life.

OFFICERS.

IV.—The officers of the Society shall be a President, two Vice-Presidents, a Treasurer, two Auditors, one or more Corresponding Secretaries, and a Recording Secretary.

MANAGERS.

V.—There shall be fifteen Managers, also, residing chiefly in the city of New York, or its vicinity, who shall be divided by lot among themselves into three classes of five members each. The term of service of the first class shall expire in one year, that of the second class in two years, and that of the third class in three years. At each annual meeting of the Society, after the first election under this amended Constitution, one class only shall be elected for the term of three years, to the end that the third part of the whole number of Managers, as nearly as possible, may be annually chosen; provided, however, that vacancies remaining in any class may be filled for the unexpired term of that class. The officers and Managers shall be elected by ballot, and continue to discharge their official duties until superseded by a new election.

EXECUTIVE BOARD.

VI.—The Treasurer, Auditors, Recording Secretary, and Managers of the Society shall constitute the Executive Board to conduct the business of the Society, seven of whom shall be a quorum for that purpose. They shall have power to appoint their own meetings, elect their own Chairman and Recording Secretary, enact their own By-Laws and Rules of Order, provided, always, that they be not inconsistent with this Constitution; fill any vacancies which may occur in their own body, or in the offices of the Society during the year, and, if deemed necessary by two-thirds of the members, convene special meetings of the Society. They shall establish such agencies as the interest of the Society may require, appoint agents and missionaries, fix their compensation, direct and instruct them concerning their particular fields and labors, make all appropriations to be paid out of the treasury, and present to the Society, at each annual meeting, a full report of their proceedings during the current year.

DESIGNATED FUNDS.

VII.—All moneys or other property contributed and designated for any particular missionary field or purpose shall be so appropriated, or returned to the donors or their lawful agents.

TREASURER.

VIII.—The Treasurer shall give bonds to such amount as the Executive Board shall think proper.

ELIGIBILITY TO APPOINTMENT.

IX.—All the Officers, Managers, Missionaries, and Agents of the Society shall be members in good standing in regular Baptist churches.

ANNUAL MEETING.

X.—The Society shall meet annually for the election of Officers and Managers, and the transaction of other necessary business, at such time and place as the Executive Board shall appoint.

ALTERATIONS TO THE CONSTITUTION.

XI.—No alteration of this Constitution shall be made without an affirmative vote of two-thirds of the members present at an annual meeting; nor unless the same shall have been proposed in writing and the proposition sustained by a majority vote, at a previous annual meeting, or recommended by the Executive Board.

ACT OF INCORPORATION.

An Act to incorporate the American Baptist Home Mission Society,
Passed April 12, 1843, and Amended Feb. 9, 1849.

*The People of the State of New York, represented in Senate and
Assembly, do enact as follows :*

§ 1. ALL such persons as now are, or may hereafter become, members of the American Baptist Home Mission Society, formed in the City of New York, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty two, shall be, and hereby are constituted a body corporate, by the name of the American Baptist Home Mission Society, for the purpose of promoting the preaching of the Gospel in North America.

§ 2. This Corporation shall be capable of taking, holding, or receiving any property, real or personal, by virtue of any devise or bequest contained in any last will or testament of any person whomsoever, the clear annual income of which devise or bequest shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars; provided no person leaving a wife, or child, or parent, shall devise or bequeath said Corporation more than one-fourth of his or her estate, after the payment of his or her debts; and such devise or bequest shall be valid to the extent of such one-fourth, and no such devise or bequest shall be valid in any will which shall not have been made and executed at least two months before the death of the testator; and provided that no verbal mistake in the name of the said Corporation shall invalidate the gift, grant, devise, or legacy intended for it. The net income of said society, arising from their real estate, shall not exceed the sum of ten thousand dollars annually.

§ 3. This Corporation shall possess the general power and be subjected to the provisions contained in title third of chapter eighteen of the first part of the Revised Statutes, so far as the same are applicable and have not been repealed.

§ 4. This Act shall take effect immediately.

§ 5. The Legislature may at any time modify or repeal this Act.

BY-LAWS OF THE BOARD.

1. All meetings shall be opened with prayer, after which the roll shall be called.
2. All Committees shall be nominated by the presiding officer, and approved by the Executive Board, unless otherwise specially ordered.
3. No moneys shall be paid out of the treasury but by order of the Executive Board.
4. All resolutions, if required, shall be presented in writing.
5. Whenever a vacancy occurs in the Executive Board, the fact shall be entered on the minutes, and, at the next stated meeting, the Board shall proceed to fill such vacancy by ballot.
6. Special meetings of the Board may be called by the Chairman of the Board, or by a Corresponding Secretary of the Society, upon the written request of three or more members of the Board. But no business shall be transacted at such special meetings other than that specified in the call.
7. No By-law of the Board shall be suspended for any temporary purpose, unless by a vote of two-thirds of the members of the Board.